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IMPERIAL BAZAAR

Opened at the Primitive Methodist Church

A novelty in the line of a church bazaar is the grand Imperial Bazaar opened last evening in the Primitive Methodist church in Gorham street and continuing tonight and tomorrow and Friday evenings.

The features are entirely different and more enjoyable than those of the old time bazaar and the large gathering present last evening appreciated the new idea.

The bazaar was held in the vestry of the church and the doors were thrown open at 5.30, though the bazaar was formally opened by Agent Connell of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, who presided over the evening's festivities.

Tonight Alderman Derby will preside. Senator McKinley will officiate on Thursday evening and on Friday ex-Alderman Westall will do the honors.

As each person entered the bazaar he was presented with a souvenir program, which told where the booths were located and what might be purchased on them, outlining also the entertainment program for the four nights.

A most agreeable departure from the old style bazaar was the absence of all voting, guessing or kindred contests and the almost inevitable girl with the "chance" book was conspicuous by her absence.

A dozen prettily decorated tables were in position about the vestry, while special departments opened off the vestry. There was a fishing pond, ventriloquial entertainment and museum of curios.

One of the features was the grocery store, with Thomas Gardiner as the head grocer. His assistants were Joseph Sutcliffe, Sam Ashquith and J. W. Foster. All the commodities found in a well regulated grocery store were to be had at market prices. This was under the Men's League department, which also had side lights of furniture and hardware.

In the Ladies' Aid department the feature was a dry good store, with all the little articles dear to the feminine fancy.

The young people's department had a special feature in China and fancy goods.

The beverage table in green and pink was in charge of the lower class of Willing Workers, with Miss Maude Mountford and Miss Nellie Sladen as the matrons. As assistants there were 25 members of the class.

The fancy table abounded in all of the pretty things in the embroidery lines. The classes of Miss Jennie Cutcliffe and Joseph Fielding managed this department with forty assistants.

The infant department table was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, assisted by Miss M. E. Ogley, Miss Mabel Hurd, and Miss Ada Ogley. It was trimmed in blue and white. All sorts of toys and children's things were on sale.

The Mystery table was in charge of William J. McCready and William and Albert Fielding. The table was handsomely decorated with the National colors.

The Ladies' Aid Domestic booth had the fancy goods feature. Aprons, sofa pillows, lace work, pin cushions, and "what not" were bunched on this table. Mrs. Clara Midgely, Mrs. J. Wilmot and Mrs. J. Bramhall did the selling here. The prevailing colors were lavender and white.

The flower table was busy throughout the evening and those in charge were Emma Manning, Miriam Hoyle, Joseph Potter and Thomas Woodcock.

The Wesley League C. E. table was divided into two sections, one for china and the other for fancy work. The table was trimmed in white and pink. The fancy section was managed by the following named: Mrs. William Thornton, matron; Miss Orpah Sutcliffe, Miss Alice Scoble, Miss Mary Rhodes, Miss Luella Laycock, Miss May Heap, Miss Ida Parkinson, Miss Emma Manning, Miss Zilpah Sutcliffe, Miss Ethel Greenwood, Miss Nellie Reindel, Miss Ida Wilkinson, Miss Isabel Caddell, Mrs. Geo. Grindrod, Harry Maden and Geo. Grindrod. The fancy china dept. was ably conducted by the following: Mrs. Chas. Hayes, matron; Miss Dora Heading, Miss Jennie Potter, Miss Alice Watson, Miss Jennie Spillane, Miss Lillian Richardson, Miss May Esther Dudley, Miss Sarah Howarth, N. W. Matthews, Jr., Frank Maden and Harry Amherton.

The candy table was managed by girls from the classes of Mrs. McCready and Miss E. H. Ogley. The names of the ladies who sold the sweets were: Emma Meade, Charlotte Holgate, Elizabeth Lees, Bertha Trickey, Edith Davis, Ida Boughton, Gertrude Humphriss, Nellie Rawnsley, Maud Hindle, Mabel Chapman and the Misses Edmunds.

The curio hall was of real interest to all for the curios were all genuine. George Bouring and Ellmaker Stark made the collection and showed their ability to select oddities. Among the

REV. MR. MATHEWS, Pastor.

curios were: Boxer swords, flags and garments; a collection of Filipino knives and swords, made by Sergt. Scott; a collection of warlike implements taken in Cuba and Porto Rico by Private Davison, Co. C, Sixth Regt.; petrified snakes from Sweden and Norway; a walking stick gun from the Philippines; a collection of ores and minerals, made by Gus Ahlberg, and a varied collection of stuffed birds, given for exhibition by Carl G. Pihl.

The entertainment was begun at 8 o'clock and consisted of a varied program by Albert Leith and friends assisted by Mr. Leonard Galloway, ventriloquist, and Mrs. John Galloway, who operated a phonograph.

The farmers' supper drew a big crowd. It was served by Mrs. A. Hindle, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Mrs. Thomas Steel, Mrs. S. Medley, Mrs. G. H. Manning, Mrs. John Orrell, Mrs. J. A. Feindel, Mrs. S. Ogley, Mrs. J. S. Sykes, Mrs. J. Ashworth and Mrs. Edward Cornock.

The entertainment tonight will be given by Osmond Long and party.

The executive committee in charge of the bazaar consists of: N. W. Matthews, pastor; William Thornton, chairman; Thomas Gardiner, vice-chairman; Eli Turner, secretary; Ambrose Hindle, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, Mrs. N. W. Matthews, Mrs. Albert Stopherd, Miss Dora Heading, Miss Elizabeth Ogley, Miss Maud M. Mountford, Messrs. Albert Stopherd, John W. Foster, George Bowring, Harry Maden, Walter Killerby.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight; fresh westerly winds.

RUSSELL DEAD

Former Candidate for Governor Victim of Heart Disease

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Hon. John E. Russell died at midnight at his home in Leicester. The cause was heart disease.

Mr. Russell formerly was one of the most prominent democrats in this state. He was a member of the 42nd congress, from the Tenth Massachusetts district and subsequently was twice the candidate of his party for governor, but was defeated. He had been a member of important political bodies and commissions and was considered an orator and writer of great ability.

He had long been ill and hope for his recovery was given up sometime ago. He was born at Greenfield in 1834. A widow survives him.

WOOD ALCOHOL

Man Who Drank It is in Serious Condition

Hermangild Ladue, residing at 631 Lakeview avenue, drank wood alcohol by mistake yesterday morning and now is in a serious condition at the Lowell hospital. Mrs. Ladue is confined to her bed by an injury to one of her feet and she has been using a wood alcohol wash for the injured member. Yesterday morning Ladue arose from bed and believing that a goblet which was partly filled with wood alcohol contained water, he drank it. He went to his work as usual in the Lowell Machine shop and when he returned to his home last night he was feeling ill and later was in a semi-conscious state. He continued that way all night and at 2.30 this morning the ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the hospital, where no change has been noted yet in his condition.

Eyes and Nose Ran Water.—C. G. Archer of Brewer, Me., says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. I would not be without it. It relieves in 10 minutes. Sold by Falls & Burkinshaw.—22.

DEATHS

GOULD—Joseph D. Gould, aged 68 years, and an old resident of North Billerica, passed away at his home in that town last night. The deceased leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

Horse Blankets for stable or street use, at The Thompson Hardware Co.

RUNAWAY GIRLS

Forgiven and Taken Back to Their Homes

After weeks of wandering, and living in a questionable way, May Foley, 17, and Lillian Eno, 18, were confronted in the inspector's office at police station, this morning, the Foley girl by her uncle and the Eno girl by her father. The scene was a very pathetic one and the emotion of the officers who witnessed it was ill concealed.

Both girls belong in East Cambridge and they were arrested by Inspectors Donaldson and Maher in Mrs. Foster's restaurant, 220 Middlesex street, last evening. The condition of affairs at the restaurant was such that it was reported to the board of police and Mrs. Foster's common victualler's license was revoked at the meeting of the board last night.

The officers said there wasn't food enough in the house to satisfy the hunger of one man and another feature of the house that the officers didn't like was a door opening into a Chinese restaurant.

The girls were in the company of two young men when arrested. They claimed that they had roomed in Gorham street, but that their funds had given out. They had been in Lowell three weeks, they said, and admitted that their mode of living during those three weeks was not what would suit the lover of good morals. They claimed that they had been in the habit of taking their meals at Mrs. Foster's restaurant and that they owed her some money. They further stated that Mrs. Foster told them they could work for her and liquidate their obligations in that way. The officers, however, couldn't quite understand why Mrs. Foster would require the assistance of two girls when the restaurant was minus a square meal. The girls told the officers that Mrs. Foster had gone out during the forenoon and that she had locked them in the restaurant.

The girls at first claimed that they belonged in Dover, N. H., but later admitted that they lived in Cambridge. It was plain to be seen that their straying paths had not been strewn with roses, in fact they seemed half glad to go with the police. After finding out that they belonged in East Cambridge the police of this city notified the Cambridge police and they notified the Foley girl's uncle and the Eno girl's father. May Foley is an orphan and has lived with her uncle for the last three years.

The girls were taken from their cells to the inspector's office this morning. They did not know that an uncle and father were waiting outside. In reply to questions by the police the Foley girl said she left home because the people with whom she lived were drunk all the time.

"Are you telling the truth?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Yes, that's the truth," replied the girl, and just then the door opened and her uncle appeared on the scene. In his presence she told the deputy she had lied to him. She said her uncle was good to her and that there was no reason why she should have left him.

While May Foley was wiping away her uncle's tears Lillian Eno's father entered the office and before he had time to speak his daughter's arms were about his neck and the reprimand he had stored away melted into words of love and forgiveness. With her arms still about her father's neck the Eno girl fainted and fell to the floor.

The matron was called and applied restoratives. In the guard room while the girls were preparing to leave for home, the deputy, just to impress upon them that they had a narrow escape, told Mr. Foley and Mr. Eno that perhaps after all it would be better to go up stairs, swear out complaints against the girls and have them sent to the prison for women at Sherborn.

The deputy's suggestion so startled the girls that they fell on their knees and implored the men who came for them not to send them away. They promised they would never repeat the offence, and while neither of the men had any intention of prosecuting the girls, they pretended to weigh well the deputy's suggestion, and not until they had extracted certain promises from the runaways did they decide to take them home. One of the most important of the promises was that the girls should not meet each other again after their arrival at East Cambridge.

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In the Middlesex County Commission

The Democrats have nominated for Commissioner, George R. Duren of Carlisle, who has been an efficient member of the Board of Selectmen of his town, and is at present one of the Board of Assessors. During President Cleveland's first administration he was assistant postmaster of Carlisle.

Mr. Duren is a member of many fraternal organizations, among which are: Oberlin Lodge, I. O. O. F.; Wannalancit Encampment, Passaconaway Tribe of Red Men; Lodge, B. P. O. Elks; Chevalier Lodge, Knights of Pythias of Lowell; Windsor Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, Boston.

For twelve years he was a member of Troop F Cavalry, M. V. M.

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YOUNG CORBETT WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—It took ten rounds and about a minute and a half of the eleventh round for Young Corbett of Denver, Col., the featherweight champion, to get the decision over Hughey Murphy of New York before 1500 people at the Criterion club last night.

Corbett forced the boxing from start to finish. Murphy put up a clever defence and landed many clever blows, but none of them were effective. At the same time he evaded many of Corbett's most dangerous blows.

STATION CLOSED

Explosion Relief Committee Meeting

The explosion relief committee held a meeting in Mayor Howe's office at City hall yesterday. The subject of relief was discussed at length and several incidents were related of people attempting to get aid to which they were not entitled.

The committee was authorized to close the office on Middlesex street, but the relief work will continue and special attention will be paid to the cases of necessity in order that there may be no suffering during the coming winter. Some small repairs will be made at once to make shelter more secure.

NAMES ACCEPTED

The Aldermen Confirm Precinct Officers

The board of aldermen held a brief meeting last evening, at which they confirmed the five precinct officers named by the mayor and held up at a previous meeting.

Alderman Miskella presided and eight members were present.

After routine business had been transacted Alderman Derby introduced an order providing that all petitions for street and sidewalk repairs be referred to next year's city government.

Mr. Derby stated that there is now enough work laid out to keep the department busy for the remainder of the year and use up all its appropriation.

Alderman Gallagher opposed the order and it was defeated.

A joint order transferring $400 from labor to sundries in the common department was adopted the appropriations committee having recommended the transfer.

After a brief recess the names of the precinct officers came up and the mayor's appointments were confirmed without discussion.

Adjourned.

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Men's Blue, Black and Brown Kersey Overcoats, box make, 36 inches long, full back.....$10.00 to $15.00
Men's Oxford Grey, Blue, Black and Brown Kersey Overcoats, medium length .....$6.00 to $20.00
Men's Black Frieze Overcoats, raw edge, all wool..... $8.00
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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

OUT FOR OLNEY

J. L. Chalifoux Declares for Him for President

The Birmingham, Ala., Ledger has the following which will interest Lowell people:

Mr. J. L. Chalifoux, of Lowell, Mass., head of the local and eastern clothing houses bearing his name, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. Chalifoux has been connected with the state politics of Massachusetts for several years, and talks interestingly of the gubernatorial race in his state and also of the presidential campaign of 1904. He was for three years the democratic nominee for treasurer of Massachusetts, but states that he will no longer paddle his boat over political chasms, as his age and business connections make an active campaign impossible, even if he should desire it. He is active, however, in the political world, even if circumstances prevent h[is] becoming a factor. His statem[ents] concerning national politics are interesting and instructive. He thinks that the democrats have the best chance of electing their nominee for the presidential chair in 1904 than for years, and of all the possible democratic nominees, Richard Olney of Massachusetts, holds the leading hand.

CORPORATIONS ON THE FENCE.

The reason that the chances for a democratic victory in the next presidential campaign are particularly bright is, he says, because the great moneyed corporations are on the fence. The republicans have lost their favorite position on account of the Roosevelt policy pursued against the Northern Securities company. When the two great railroad systems, the Great Northern and Northern Pacific, merged into a corporation, the Northern Securities company was formed to take charge of their stock. As this was in direct opposition to the Sherman anti-trust bill, which stipulates that no corporation, or association of individuals, can legally merge two parallel lines of railroad doing an interstate commerce, Roosevelt instructed Attorney-General Knox to enter suit against the Northern Securities company.

The circuit court of Minnesota rendered a decision that the Northern Securities company was an illegal corporation and ordered its dissolution.

The company appealed the case, and it will be tried in the supreme court of the United States, which begins its session in November or December. The decision will hardly be reached before April of next year. If the decision of the circuit court is reaffirmed a great amount of high and lower grades of stock will be dislocated, and it will be impossible for the capital manipulators to control it. A panic might take place among the great moneyed interests of Wall street.

On account of this opposition taken by Roosevelt the millionaires of New York and the trusts are divided in their relation to the parties. Consequently the democrats are stronger than ever before, and the corporations are secretly bowing to both. This position of the corporations makes the chances for a democratic victory particularly bright.

OLNEY STRONG WITH FINANCIERS.

Mr. Chalifoux thinks that Olney is held in high esteem by the trusts and moneyed corporations of the country, and that he is unreservedly trusted by them. For this reason he is a candidate more probably of election than the other democratic possibilities. Olney has always been very diplomatic, and stands as high, if not higher, with both parties than any other citizen of the United States. Olney's nomination will undoubtedly influence a greater number of votes from the corporations than either Parker's or Gorman's. He has also the confidence of the people, as well as that of the bankers of Wall street, and the republicans have a greater favoritism for him than for the others.

Besides Olney's connection with the corporations, he is comparatively new. He has not entered into other fights as Gorman, and today he is simply a strong man, both financially and influentially, while all the Gormanic tactics are known.

COTTON TRADE POOR.

The eastern cotton mills are not making money, and Mr. Chalifoux says that the east seems to be suffering with a kind of uneasiness bordering on fear. The panic of 1893 was preceded by a depression in the west and south. Ten years later the depression has shifted to the east. The cotton condition in Massachusetts is strained, and the depression may become national.

The woolen mills are not running to their full capacity, and the orders are much behind those received up to date last year.

This depression is also evident in real estate. The assessors in several of the cities in Massachusetts recognizing the reduction in real estate, are considering the advisability of making a sweeping reduction in tax valuations.

The condition of trade in the east is not at all encouraging, and the people are uneasy. Therefore they are looking to a change in politics to remedy the evil, and the citizens of Massachusetts, the democrats openly, and even the republicans in a quiet manner are talking this way.

NOT IN CAMPAIGN.

Mr. Chalifoux will not be in the campaign for the state election this year. He has been the democratic nominee for State treasurer for the last three years, but will give the helm to younger, if not stronger hands. He states that he will devote his time to his business interests, and will let politics alone.

Mr. Chalifoux is well known in Birmingham, where he has numerous friends. He is held in high repute in Massachusetts, and is considered one of the strongest men in the State. He is a political scholar, and his knowledge, experience and reasoning powers are unquestionably great.

BLOODY BATTLE

Fought in Dutton Street Sunday

John, William, Michael and Mary Connelly mixed it up with a family of Syrians at 509 Dutton street Sunday, and in police court this morning evidences of the battle in the shape of handsful of hair, cut heads, discolored eyes, swollen faces, and black and blue shins were submitted to the court. The complainants in the case were Alexandria and Sadie Metraz. They were both pretty badly used up and Michael Connelly, a member of the attacking force, had his head bandaged, it having come in contact with the business end of a flat iron.

The whole trouble, it is alleged, was due to an innocent little clothes line. It is also a bit of evidence in court. It seems that the complainants in the case live on the second floor of the house occupied by the Connellys. The latter live down stairs and the fight was due to the fact that the people up stairs wouldn't let the people down stairs use the clothes line.

The fight started Saturday afternoon but the officers, Sergt. Connors, and Officer Lennon were not called until Sunday afternoon. They didn't arrive any too soon. The battle was still raging and the house was a wreck. Blood was flowing freely and the weapons used included mops, brooms, glasses, clubs and boots. Two brothers of the complainants were also engaged in the fracas. If it had lasted much longer the chances are something very serious would have happened.

Saturday afternoon, it is alleged, Mrs. Connolly called on the family up stairs for the use of the clothes line. She was refused and that was the end of it until Sunday. In the meantime, the complainants allege, the clothes line was cut in two places and on Sunday after church, the defendants went up stairs and renewed hostilities. Then the battle proper was on and it was a case of knock down and drag out for several hours. The women fought nobly, never as much as wincing when great handsful of hair were snatched from the craniums.

The evidence in the case was heard through the medium of an interpreter and taking it all in all, it looked as if the blame for the trouble was pretty evenly distributed with the odds for peace, if any, in favor of the Syrians. The defndants were found not guilty.

PURITAN BEER

Four More Cases in Court Today

Five cases of illegal keeping were called in police court today. Four of them were "Puritan Hop Beer" cases and the fifth was a common every day case of illegally exposing and keeping for sale intoxicating liquors.

The hop beer men were: Napoleon Gauthier, Salem street. He was fined $50.

Amadee Smith, Cabot street, was ordered in $300 for his appearance before the court Oct. 31.

William F. Curtin, Bassett street. He paid a $50 fine.

James Griffin, High street, was ordered in $300 for his appearance before the court on Saturday morning, Oct. 31.

The common every day case was that of Frank Murphy and he, too, had his case continued to Saturday.

HELD FOR THE GRAND JURY.

Fred Briere, arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with a larceny committed about one year ago, pleaded not guilty, waived the reading of the complaint and was ordered in $600 for the grand jury. Deputy Welch had a heart to heart talk with Briere in the guard room last evening and he is satisfied that Briere knows his number.

When asked where he had been for the last two years he replied that he had been cruising about the country.

"Have you been in Lowell since?" asked the deputy.

"Several times," came the reply.

"Did you see any officers during your visits?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did they see you?"

"Don't know. Guess they ain't in the habit of seeing much, are they?"

"Were you in Lowell about a year ago?"

"That's too far back; I can't remember."

"It is convenient for you to forget at times?"

"Maybe."

"You are not very anxious to talk, I take it?"

"No, you are doing all the talking."

The deputy talked further with Briere about certain alleged local crooks and it was then that Briere opened up. He said there is but one crook in Lowell worthy of the name. "He can get next to a stone," said Briere, "quicker and easier than any man in the state. The rest of them have to go in herds and then the best they can do is a back or side job. They can't get out in front and pinch a stone; they're not professionals."

When asked what he had been doing for the last few months he replied that he had been following the fairs and races.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Nine offenders answered to complaints charging them with drunkenness. George J. Sweeney was sentenced to the workhouse for 15 days; Thomas A. Armour, Ernest Spooney, Joseph Guertin and John J. Dobson were fined $6 each. The others were all first offenders.

Gertrude Loughman, charged with being a stubborn child, was dismissed.

MUCH IMPRESSED

Committee Likes Boston's Public Baths

The public baths committee will meet this evening at city hall, having yesterday inspected the different public baths in Boston and vicinity.

The members made a thorough inspection and were much impressed with what they saw. Councilman Fleming of ward six, who is a member of the new committee, saw the baths for the first time and though formerly opposed to the project is now inclined to favor them. Speaking of the baths, Councilman Fleming said: "Really, the baths in Boston are one of the best features of the municipality and are a God-send to poor people whose limited circumstances preclude the idea of a bath tub in their tenements. I think a moderate priced bath house, well kept up, would be a grand, good thing for Lowell, though I would not favor anything of an extravagant nature owing to the condition of the city's finances."

McGONIGLE CASE

Still on Trial in the Superior Court

The case of McGonigle et al. vs. V. H. J. Belle Isle Co., which opened last Friday at the local court house is still on trial, the defendant's side now being heard. This morning five new witnesses for the defense were sworn in. As soon as this case is finished the case of Wotten vs. inhabitants of Chelmsford will be heard. The jury in this case was impanelled yesterday and a view of the plaintiff's premises in Chelmsford were taken.

QUIET RESTORED

WATER DEPARTMENT RUNNING SMOOTHLY AGAIN.

"There's nothing doing in our department now," said Supt. Thomas to The Sun reporter this morning. "The corporations have disconnected their fire services and are using city water, while the water supply is absolutely free from danger."

DEATHS

HUNTLEY—Bertha Merrill Huntley, aged 24 years, wife of Arthur T. Huntley, died this morning at her home, 6-6 Stevens street. The deceased was the daughter of Charles M. and Viola J. Merrill, and besides her parents and husband, she is survived by two small children.

COTOPAXI VOLCANO IS ACTIVE

By Associated Press to The Sun

GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR, OCT. 27.—IT IS REPORTED FROM QUITO THAT A DENSE COLUMN OF FIRE IS VISIBLE FROM THERE EMERGING FROM THE CRATER OF THE COTOPAXI VOLCANO. THE NEIGHBORING VILLAGES HAVE NOT SUSTAINED ANY DAMAGE.

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

BOTH SARGENT AND SEYMOUR DOING WELL.

Thomas L. Sargent, the lineman in the employ of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., who fell from a pole in Gorham street Saturday morning and fractured his skull, is slowly recovering at the Emergency hospital. He is still in a semi-conscious condition, but was able to recognize his wife and brother, who called to see him last night.

Fred Seymour who accidentally shot himself Sunday morning at the Rendering works, is resting quietly at St. John's hospital. It is expected that his recovery will be rapid.

SPLIT IN MOHAIRS

Reserves Suspended and Others Withdraw

A NEW CLUB MAY BE FORMED

All Over Medals That Were Not Awarded

A member of the Mohair club gives the following version of the trouble that has caused a rupture in that organization:

Because the Mohair Reserve players were to receive medals for winning the championship of the Central Massachusetts league before the first eleven received medals for winning the championship of the Merrimack Valley league, the Mohair club decided to suspend the second eleven players and consequently forty supporters and members of the Mohair club will now leave that organization and form another club.

It seems that the new league to which the Mohair Reserves belonged, promised medals to the winners of the championship team at the close of the season. The Mohair Reserves were fortunate enough to win the championship, but at the close of the season there was not enough money in the treasury of the league to present the medals and it was suggested that a fund be raised. Several of the members subscribed and as the Mohair club had already appropriated $20 for medals for the first eleven they were asked by the second eleven members to appropriate $10 for medals for the reserve team. This was refused.

At a meeting of the Central Mass. league, Oct. 3, Harold Castle and Lewis Fielding were appointed a committee of two on medals, with full power to add to its numbers, and they were also given full power to run, any time, a concert and ball, or otherwise, to raise money for medals and distribute same to the players who were entitled to it under the arrangement.

They arranged to run a concert and ball in Prescott hall Nov. 13, and hired the orchestra and hall for the occasion, and it is because they refuse to repudiate any intention of running this ball for the purpose named that they have been suspended.

Each player was summoned to appear at the meeting last night, but they refused to attend on the grounds that they did not recognize the authority of the Mohair club in asking them to throw up the ball, as they were appointed by the Central league (of which the club is only a member) and on account of the league appointing them, they could not see how it had anything to do with the Mohair club.

The Mohair club was so notified that unless the league authorized them to stop the ball the same would go on. The second eleven claim there would not have been any trouble if the first eleven had received their medals, but it was no fault of the reserve men that they did not.

Trouble has been brewing for some time and interesting and spicy developments may result. The reserve men say that the ball will go on and ask all friends who are lovers of fair play to support it.

ELIZABETH M. REID

APPOINTED MATRON OF LOWELL GENERAL HOSPITAL.

The executive committee of the Lowell General hospital held a special meeting yesterday afternoon and Miss Elizabeth M. Reid of Boston was elected superintendent of nurses and matron of that institution.

Miss Reid is a graduate of the training school for nurses of the Massachusetts General hospital and has had a large experience in nursing.

Miss Reid was in charge of nurses at the Boston insane hospital, and later at the General hospital at Hartford, Conn. She comes strongly recommended for her ability to take large responsibilities and to successfully carry them out. The training school for nurses will receive her special attention and will be brought up to the highest possible efficiency. Miss Reid will begin her new duties Nov. 1.

"CHARLIE" ARMSTRONG

AFTER A MATCH WITH JOE GRIM.

Charley Armstrong, the Lowell boxer, who recently returned from England is after a match with Joe Grim, the Philadelphia Italian.

FUNERALS

LANG—Mr. George W. Lang, formerly a well known resident of this city, was buried in the Edson cemetery yesterday under the direction of Undertaker Young.

The body had been brought from Somerville, where the funeral was held Sunday. Mr. Lang was aged 63 years, 7 months and 21 days. He was a Civil war veteran, being a member of Post 185. The funeral was largely attended by veterans, also members from the Spanish war veterans, who held deceased in great esteem. The floral offerings were beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Grover and Miss Mabel Grover of this city attended the funeral in Somerville. The deceased was step-father to Mrs. Grover.

MACK—The remains of the late ex-Mayor Sewall G. Mack were consigned to their final resting place in the Lowell cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frederick Lawton, 213 Pawtucket street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The city government was represented by Mayor Charles E. Howe and a special committee of the city council, while members of the different companies in which the deceased was interested were present.

Prayers were read by Rev. G. E. Martin, pastor of the Kirk street Congregational church. The bearers were Deacons Shattuck, Ward, and Cumnock of the Kirk Street Congregational church, and Jacob Rogers. There were a number of floral pieces, among them being a wreath of pinks surrounded by chrysanthemums, from the city government, and a beautiful emblem from the Lowell Gas company, of which the deceased was a director for many years. The funeral was under the direction of Samuel Thompson. Burial was conducted by Undertaker J. B. Currier. Interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

FULLER—The funeral of the late Jason Fuller took place yesterday afternoon from his late home, 36 Nesmith street, and was largely attended. Prayers were read at the house by the Rev. Dr. C. W. Huntington of the High Street Congregational church and there was singing by the choir of that church, consisting of Messrs. E. E. Adams, Foster and Mrs. Spaulding and Mrs. Kerwin. There were a number of very beautiful pieces from the Masons, Board of Trade, Middlesex North Agricultural Society, and many friends. The bearers were relatives of the deceased, Messrs. F. J. Fuller, Willis Fuller, George Ellingwood, Edward Ellingwood, T. E. Parker and Charles Fuller. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker J. B. Currier. The funeral was in charge of Edward W. Clarke.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Hal Reid's "A Homespun Heart," gave two performances at the Academy of Music yesterday, and at the afternoon and evening performances large and appreciative audiences saw the play.

It is a comedy drama of pastoral life and is different from the other dramas presented at this house. It is not one of these blood curdling pieces where a murder or suicide occurs in every act, but is an interesting and wholesome story of a poor, struggling family which has fallen into the hands of schemers, but by the assistance of a half witted brother brings things about all right.

The contest between right and wrong is embodied principally in Andy Markoe, a youth half-witted and bright at once and Senga Severald, a shrewd and wicked adventuress. Andy's city brother, Jack, is blindly in love with the Severald woman, and takes her to the farm home of his family. Both are well-dressed and when they enter the old-fashioned farm house they encounter Andy, who is sunburned and touzzled and wears a simple shirt and overalls. The woman resentfully asks her lover who is the intruder, and he, ashamed of his own brother, tells her the boy is employed on the farm and orders him out of the room. For this shameful cowardice and cruelty, the audience hisses him heartily and later, when the woman learns the truth, she, under her breath, calls her lover a cur for denying his brother.

The woman is fooling Tom Samson to further her conspiracy to get possession of an estate owned by his sister Marion. She is aided in this by a miserly old squire, who desires Marion. The squire holds a mortgage on the home of the Markoes, and with this he tries to force Marion to marry him. She loves and is loved by a young farmer, Tom Samson, and he, with the half-witted boy's help, saves Marion from the squire and her estate from the Severald woman. This part of the drama is not unique in the field of melodrama, but in the circumstances of the half-witted boy, is a novelty that shows some ingenuity in the dramatist. The boy, it is explained, was thrown from a horse and struck on his head, so injuring his brain. The virtuous ones come happily out of their trouble, but their adventurers are arduous, taking them to a private insane asylum near Philadelphia, New York's rough Five Points and a saloon near the East river bridge.

Performances will be given this afternoon and evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Citizen is so busy with putting the democratic municipal ticket in the field that it is getting things mixed on the state campaign. For example in today's issue we read:

"Every republican who has the interest of the party at heart ought to attend the rally in Huntington hall tonight, and do his part to give Governor Bates a rousing reception."

No candidate is wanted on the Citizen's ticket, however, except those who will make good political pie for the republicans.

It doesn't take an X ray machine to see that the republican party is on the run and is badly worried over the head of the ticket. The stump orators have stopped talking for the whole ticket and are exerting themselves for Bates alone; the party workers have abandoned the minor candidates and are rooting for Bates alone, while "Boss" Lodge has been dislodged from his European retreat and is back in time to assist at the 11th hour.

Perhaps the minor candidates on the republican ticket aren't mindful of the fact that they are being neglected in the interest of the head of the ticket.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET, 10.10 a. m.—There was a free absorption of stocks all throughout the list at the opening of the stock market. The usual prominent leaders showed the largest gains, which ran to a large fraction. The industrials shared in the general strength. Steel, pfd., and Amalgamated rising about a point. There were 7000 shares of the latter sold at 39¼ and 38⅝ compared with 38¾ last night. Tennessee Coal advanced 1¼ and Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie pfd 2.

11 a.m.—Dealing became very animated and broad under the impetus of large orders for all classes of stocks. Representative leaders of the various active groups showed gains here and there of a point, including such favorites as Pennsylvania Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Sugar and Brooklyn Transit. The most conspicuous strength centered in a wide variety of the minor properties in which the advances were more pronounced. Among these were Evansville & Terre Haute which gained 5¼, American Express 5, St. Paul & Omaha 4, Anaconda, Colorado & Southern first pfd. 3, Cleveland C. C. & St. Louis and Railway Steel Spring 2¾, Colorado Electric and Lackawanna 2¼, and Fuel 2⅝, U. S. Express 3½, General Northwestern, Consolidated Gas and United Bag 2.

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ELEVENSTATES

Will Hold Election Contests Next Tuesday

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Elections will be held in eleven states Tuesday, Nov. 3. Full state tickets are to be voted for in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Maryland, Ohio, Kentucky, Iowa and Mississippi, while in New York, Pennsylvania, Nebraska and Colorado, a justice of the upper courts, regents of the state university, or minor state officers are to be chosen.

Municipal officials are to be selected in Greater New York, San Francisco and Salt Lake City.

The prohibitionists have a ticket in all the states, except Colorado; the socialists in all except Nebraska and Colorado; the populists in two states—Iowa and Colorado—and the socialist labor party in three—New York, Massachusetts and Ohio.

In Maryland the offices of governor, comptroller and attorney general will be filled. Edwin Warfield, the democratic candidate, is fighting the issue with Stevenson A. Williams, the republican nominee.

The offices of governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, attorney general and treasurer will be selected in Rhode Island. Samuel P. Colt heads the republican ticket, and Lucius Garvin, the present executive, occupies the same position on the democratic ticket.

Pennsylvania will elect an auditor general, treasurer and two judges of the Superior court.

Court of appeals judge is the only state office to be voted for in New York. Judge Dennis O'Brien, democrat, will have the race to himself, having been indorsed by the republicans. The interest in New York will centre in the municipal and county contests in Manhattan and Kings boroughs. Seth Low, the present mayor, is the fusion candidate, and George B McClellan, the democratic nominee. Ex-Deputy Police Commissioner Devery is an independent candidate, and the prohibitionists and socialists have also made nominations. The result will be watched with interest, owing to the split between Tammany and the Brooklyn organization.

In the west the liveliest contest is in Ohio, where Myron T. Herrick and Tom L. Johnson, both of Cleveland, are the leaders on the republican and democratic tickets, and Marcus A. Hanna and John H. Clark are struggling for members of the legislature, which will elect a United States senator.

In Iowa Albert B. Cummins is making his second race for governor, his opponent being Jeremiah B. Sullivan, who is depending on the democratic vote, the populists having their own state ticket in the field.

Governor Beckham is seeking re-election in Kentucky, the republican candidate being Morris B. Belknap, who is making an active canvass.

The democrats will have a walk over in Mississippi, neither the republicans nor any other opposition party having put a ticket in the field.

The contest in Nebraska is for a justice of the Supreme court. The republican candidate is John D. Barnes, the democrats and populists fusing on John D. Sullivan.

A LONG CHASE

Bank Official Caught at Last

MORRISON WAS FOLLOWED OVER TWO CONTINENTS

Is Charged With Stealing $60,000

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—After a chase lasting 14 months and in which two continents were traversed with a detective in pursuit, John Morrison, assistant cashier of the Northampton bank of London, charged with embezzling more than $60,000, has been captured in Chicago.

Morrison, with Edward Weston of the Scotland Yard detective force, who effected the capture, is now on his way to England to answer the charge of defalcation.

Morrison, after his flight, assumed many aliases. When arrested he was conducting a jewelry store on 43rd street, under the name of Henri Jorgan. He also has used the names of William Jordin, Henry Miller and Francis.

During August, 1902, in the temporary absence of the cashier of the London bank, Morrison, it is alleged, fled to the continent with a large sum. Detective Weston was put on the case and started for the continent only 30 hours after Morrison, but the fleeing man had sailed at once for Canada. There he bought a ticket for New York. In New York Morrison lived at a small boarding house for at least two months. Becoming nervous he left the city and went to Boston where he invested in a jewelry store. He went to Marion, Ohio, where he invested in a business venture.

Weston came to Marion where he learned the embezzler had left only a few hours before for Chicago. Weston arrived in Chicago only a few days later than Morrison. When arrested the fugitive consented to return to England without extradition proceedings.

REPORT DENIED

WILL STOP AT MIDWAY ISLAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27—Reports from Honolulu a few days ago that the Tyo Kisen steamship Nippon Maru would call at Midway Island on her way to Yokohama owing to anxiety over the alleged strained relations between Japan and Russia, is denied by the general agent of the line here on the authority of Minister Takahira at Washington. When the report concerning Nippin Maru was received there, Agent Avery consulted Japanese consul Uyeno and he in turn wired Minister Takahira who promptly denied it on the strength of a cablegram from the consul general at Honolulu.

SMELTER MEN

CALL FOR AN EXTRA SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANACONDA, Mont., Oct. 27.—Two thousand smelter men held a meeting last night and discussed the Amalgamated-Heinze situation.

Resolutions were adopted calling upon Governor Tole to convene an extra session of the legislature to enact laws, remedial to the affair.

VALUABLE CARGOES

EXPOSED TO THE PERILS OF YUKON ICE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 27—A special from Dawson says that steamers and cargoes valued at more than $2,000,000 remain exposed to the perils of the Yukon ice and frost with little prospect of getting to places of safety for the winter. Some steamers have full cargoes of perishable provisions and these are sure to be ruined. The steamers Columbian, Victorian, Zealandian and Bailey are stuck on the bar 10 miles above Dawson and the big packet Will H. Isom, built at a cost of $200,000, is caught on the bar at the mouth of the Yukon. All are in danger of being crushed by the ice. The cold storage steamer Kerr, with $150,000 worth of refrigerated meats, is stalled below Eagle and will not get through this year.

All the steamers bound up the Yukon for White Horse reached their destination after strenuous bouts with the ice floes.

The gold output of the Klondike for the past season is now figured at $10,400,000.

COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 27—The council of ministers has appointed a commission to consider the Austro-Russian demand and to ascertain the attitude of the powers on the subject.

PATLOCK ARRESTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BASIN CITY, Wyo., Oct. 27—James Patlock, one of the men indicted for complicity in the recent lynching of Gorman and Walters and the killing of Deputy Sheriff Price, is under arrest.

MONUMENT TO KRUPP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 27—Emperor William has decided to erect a bronze monument to the late Herr Krupp, the gunmaker, before the Imperial club at Kiel. The monument will be over life size. His majesty gave the commission yesterday for execution to Professor Haverkamp. The emperor himself will make the drawings.

TO INSPECT RUSSIAN FORCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 27—A dispatch from Port Arthur says Viceroy Alexieff has gone to Talienwan to inspect the Russian naval forces in the Pacific.

REPLY TO HEINZE

William Scallon Issued a Statement

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 27.—The statement made yesterday by William Scallon, head of the Amalgamated Copper interests in Montana, says that should Heinze's proposition be accepted, it would mean the distribution among Heinze and his associates of property worth $281,000 and continues:

"Before the clerk of the supreme court in 1900, Mr. Heinze on his oath, testified that his thirty-one thirty-sixths interests in the Nipper was worth $5,000,000. If his statement under oath was anywhere near true, it would follow that, according to Mr. Heinze's sworn testimony, he would get, in addition to the enormous sums above mentioned, an interest worth, according to him $808,450.

"But there is something more important yet involved in these conditions. He must get deeds from the Anaconda and Parrot assuring his title to all the veins and ore bodies within the Nipper claim. In other words, granting to him all he claims under the Nipper title. Under that he laid claim to a large portion of the Never Sweat and Parrot mines. The value of the property which Mr. Heinze thus covertly seeks to obtain by this offer cannot be stated off-hand, but it is enormous. For his little one hundred shares of Boston & Montana stock and his 80 shares of Parrot stock, MacGinnis, Heinze & Co. would get millions of dollars. Note also that the market value of the MacGinnis stock, judging from the present quotations of the Amalgamated and Parrot, is less than MacGinnis paid for it. These figures were, of course, not explained or stated by Mr. Heinze in his printed offer.

"In addition to that he makes another condition which is equally an insult to the Miners' union, as well as to myself. He requests the Miners' union to obtain from Mr. Scallon and Mr. Rogers an agreement that the Amalgamated properties shall be worked continuously for one year and wages shall not be cut for three years—as though the miners' union needed any whip or driving by Mr. Heinz to protect their rights and as though there was any danger or thought on their part of any danger; or as though they needed this self-constituted protector.

"I think the miners' union know they do not need his protection. I think they know that their wages are not in danger for three years or at all. Neither Mr. Rogers or myself would stand for any cut in wages."

(Signed) WILLIAM SCALLON.

RECEIVED BY POPE

AMERICANS GIVEN THE APOSTOLIC BLESSING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Oct. 27.—The pope today received Cardinal Moran in farewell audience. His holiness was most affable to the cardinal, speaking lengthily about Australia and also about the English-speaking countries generally, saying their complete liberty in the exercise of their religion represented the best field for growth and spread of Catholicism. After the audience, Cardinal Moran presented a select number of English-speaking people, America being represented by Mr. and Miss Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Abell, of Baltimore, to whom the pope addressed the kindest words, gave them his hand to kiss and bestowed on them the apostolic blessing which was extended to their families.

LEADERS CONFER

Bryan, Hill and Towne Meet

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Through the presence of leading men in the democratic party in this city, it has been learned, says the Herald, that a conference, at which were present William Jennings Bryan, David B. Hill, former Senator Charles A. Towne, of Minnesota; Frank Campbell, chairman of the New York democratic state committee; and J. N. Carlisle, chairman of the democratic executive committee, has just been held. It is asserted that the meeting convened in the rooms, at an uptown hostelry, occupied by Mr. Hill, but nothing could be learned as to the subjects discussed or the result.

Senator Fuller of Colorado, who also is here, was asked what he knew regarding the matter.

"It must be a coincidence," he said. "I am here from Washington for three or four days on private business."

DECEMBER WHEAT

MARGINAL BASIS WAS FIXED AT 87 CENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 27.—At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Merchants' Exchange yesterday, the marginal basis for December wheat was fixed at 87 cents. The meeting was called in answer to a petition in which members of the exchange claimed that owing to certain manipulation the prices here on December wheat have assumed fictitious values. The board was asked to grant relief. President Ballard said he would announce to the exchange today the board's action.

The assertion is made by commission men that December wheat is already practically cornered in St. Louis. The assertion resulted in the petition.

ONE MAN KILLED

BY EXPLOSION IN A TUNNEL LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 27—In an explosion in the Greentree tunnel of the Wabash railroad at a late hour last night, William Zee was killed, Harry Gordon was fatally hurt and Harry Payne was badly cut, but will recover. One of the sticks of dynamite carried by them exploded.

TO CURTAIL PRODUCTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 27.—The circular letter sent out by J. G. Butler, Jr., of Youngstown, president of the Bessemer Furnace association, asking pig iron producers to vote on a plan to curtail the production forty per cent. this quarter, has not received very serious attention, it is said, because of the fact that the production will be curtailed close to 50 per cent.

AMBASSADOR WILL RETURN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 27—The foreign office denies that there is any truth in the report published in the United States yesterday, that Baron VonSternburg, the German ambassador at Washington, will not return to his post.

The officials say the ambassador will return to the United States at the end of November.

THREE KILLED

In Riot in Doukhobor Colony

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—A dispatch from Winnipeg, Man., says:

Word has been received here of a riot in the Doukhobor colony to the north of Swan Lake, in which three persons were killed and another fatally injured. Peter Veregin, the so-called Christ of these people, went on a visit to the Yorkton colony. Before he went he called his followers, and while they lay prostrate he told them to follow out his doctrine during the absence and to pay no heed to any so-called missionaries who might visit them.

For a day all went well, until a Methodist minister named Perkins arrived at the settlement and tried to preach. The community divided itself, and one faction of the men stripped themselves of clothing, as they have done on several previous occasions, and started to look for Peter Veregin, their leader, and self-styled "Christ." The others interfered, and a pitched battle ensued.

WENT TO WORK

DRIVERS DID NOT GO OUT ON STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—In accordance with the vote of expressmen's union last night, the seventy drivers employed by the Boston Auto Express company were expected to begin a strike today but thirty drivers reported for duty as usual when the service was started this forenoon. The manager of the company stated that the remaining drivers were not supposed to report for work until noon, so that he could not tell whether the strike was at all effective. In explanation of the trouble he said that he had discharged three drivers for alleged incompetency. Then the expressmen's union took up the matter. Yesterday six drivers went out and the action of the union seemed to call for a strike of all, but this had not materialized.

J. W. McEvoy left today on a business trip to New York to be gone for a few days.

PAID HIS MONEY

To Learn Three Card Monte Game

By Associated Press to The Sun

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 26—Two strangers who are alleged to have swindled G. S. Burnham of this city out of $500 through a three-card game, are being sought for by the police authorities here and in other places.

Burnham reported his loss yesterday afternoon. He is a well-to-do, retired farmer, about 65 years old.

One of the strangers said his name was Brooks and that he was connected with a bank in Torrington, Conn., while the other was represented as a southerner who had come north for the purpose of finding his sister in Winsted, to whom he was to pay $30,000. Having learned that his sister was dead the southerner said he was reckless as to what became of the money.

He offered to show Brooks and Burnham how to play the three-card monte game, with the result that Burnham was induced to draw $500 from the bank and put it in a tin trunk, together with a roll alleged to contain $10,000 which the southerner placed as his part of the wager.

Burnham was given the key of the trunk and the men drove to West Hartford, stopping at a secluded place in the woods, where the game began.

Burnham won, and receiving the trunk started home alone. It was not until he found the box empty after he arrived home that Burnham realized that he had been duped.

His daughter drew the story from him after much questioning, and she accompanied him to the police station,aofO h panied him to the police headquarters, where Chief Ryan was informed.

As soon as possible an alarm was sent out to nearby towns by telephone and a description of the two men was given, but the strangers had a good start.

STRIKING MINERS

USED DYNAMITE TO DESTROY PROPERTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BILBAO, Spain, Oct. 27—The striking miners destroyed with dynamite during the night, a railroad roundhouse and the electric light and telephone plants.

The employers persist in refusing to consider the demands for the weekly payment of wages until the men resume work.

The aim of the employers, it is said, is to induce the men to negotiate with them directly, without the intervention of the unions.

PAY INCREASED

LAWRENCE ALDERMEN VOTE MORE MONEY TO POLICE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAWRENCE, Oct. 27.—At the meeting of the aldermen last night an order was adopted granting an increase in wages to the assistant marshals, sergeants and inspectors of the police department. Under its provisions the assistant marshals will receive $3.50 per day, sergeants $3 and inspectors $2.75.

Architect Regan appeared before the board and said that he had prepared plans for the ward 2 schoolhouse which could be carried out for $80,000, which is $7000 less than the lowest bid received by the commission for the plan chosen. Action was deferred.

MEN'S CLUBS MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Oct. 27—For the first time in the history of men's inter-denominational clubs, 200 delegates representing all the New England states came together today in annual convention.

The delegates were welcomed by Prof. Henry M. Tyler of Smith college. Some time was given to routine matters after which the delegates engaged in a general discussion of reports.

In this discussion it was shown that the men's clubs are a great factor in the work of bringing men into the membership of the church. It was brought out that nearly fifty thousand men in New England belong to clubs or organizations of some form interested in church work.

PENCOYD WORKS

MAY BE ABOLISHED BY STEEL TRUST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—The belief in general that the Pencoyd iron works of this city will be abolished by the U. S. steel corporation and the contracts for work to be performed here will be transferred to the new bridge works being erected near Pittsburg. Within a few weeks various branches of the concern have been closed and the employes laid off indefinitely, nearly 1000 men of the normal force of 2000 being thrown out of work thus far. The 20-inch rolling mill was shut down on Saturday and the 15-inch and 12-inch mills will stop next Saturday. Three furnaces, perhaps four, will also be closed. The steel rolling mills, it is reported, will be closed a little later. At the end of this week the number of men thrown out of employment will be fully 1500.

ELKINS SINKING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—The condition of William L. Elkins, the financier, is reported today as being grave. He spent a restless night and is said to be considerably exhausted. His physicians say there is but little hope of his recovery.

GOING TO ABYSSINA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NAPLES, Italy, Oct. 27.—The U. S. gunboat Machias has arrived here from Port Said, and is coaling preparatory to taking U. S. Consul Skinner of Marseilles, and his expedition to Jibutil, French Somaliland, whence the expedition will start for Abyssinia. The officers of the Machias hope to be able to leave here tomorrow.

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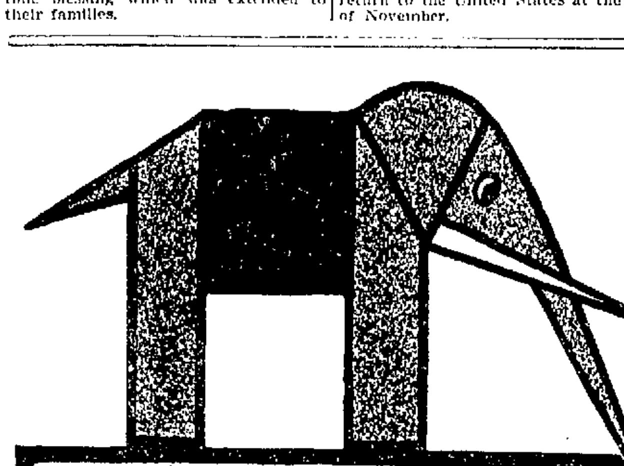
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STATE POLICE

Take Hand in Messenger Boys' Trouble

Many Girls Under 21 Years Were Discharged Today Because They Had Not Proper School Certificates—Boys are Confident of Winning

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—A new spirit of hope that they would regain their position seemed to fill the messenger boys of the Western Union Telegraph company as they assembled today near the company's office on State street. This was due to the passage of the order by the board of aldermen providing that the Western Union Telegraph company be compelled to remove all its poles within the city limits within the next two months, an order which they understood would be enforced unless they were restored to the places from which they were locked out.

As on yesterday, the collection and delivery of telegrams was carried on by girls and women messengers today.

In consequence of a complaint made to Chief Wade of the State police, that the Western Union company was violating the labor laws by employing girls under the age specified by statute, several members of the state police were ordered to investigate the complaint. The officers reported that they had found that no girl under 16 years of age was being employed by the company.

Many of those between the ages of 16 and 21, however, were not provided with the regular certificate which illiterate minors must have. They had been hired on the strength of certificates from school teachers. The officers reported, therefore, that there was a technical violation of the law.

After conferring with Chief Wade, Manager Nathan, of the Western Union Telegraph company, issued an order that all girls under 21 be discharged immediately, to be re-employed only upon the presentation of the regular school certificate provided by law.

SITUATION IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 27—The strike of the messenger boys in the Boston offices of the Western Union Telegraph company is but very indirectly affecting conditions in the local offices of that company. While groups of boys were seen discussing the plan of joining in a sympathetic strike with the Boston lads, it proved but boys' talk, there being but two or three who were agitating the movement. There is no union of the boys here and in the event of trouble their places could be filled instantly.

MASS. W. C. T. U.

Opened Convention in Springfield Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 27.—The annual three days convention of Mass. W. C. T. U. opened in Trinity Methodist church this afternoon, with 275 delegates in attendance. The convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. Catherine Lente Stevenson, and addresses of welcome were given by Rev. Eugene M. Antrim, pastor of Trinity church, and Mrs. M. L. Knell of Westfield. Mrs. Phoebe R. Clifford, president of the Plymouth county union, responded for the delegates. The State corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harriett T. Todd, reported that during the year 11 new unions had been formed and 650 names added to the membership. The address of the afternoon was delivered by Mrs. Stevenson, who reviewed the work of the year, pointing out its strength and weaknesses.

HEINZE SITUATION

HILL REFUSES TO DISCUSS THE QUESTION

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 27—James J. Hill when asked today if he had fixed a date when he could meet the mediation committee proposed to adjust the Amalgamated-Heinze situation in Montana, said: "I don't want to say anything about it. I have not decided on the date. If I can do any good I will be glad to do so, but I don't talk for publication, as publicity might do a great deal of harm."

TO AVERT STRIKE

COMMITTEE CONFERS WITH RAILROAD OFFICIALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—A joint committee, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, with Vice Grand Chief Ingraham of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Grand Chief Hannahan of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, conferred today with officials of the Interborough Rapid Transit company to arrangeif possible, a settlement of the the motormen of its elevated trains in differences between the company and Manhattan over the question of examinations and thus obviate the possibility of the threatened strike.

RHODE ISLAND CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 27.—The autumnal meeting of the Rhode Island conference of Congregational churches, which includes every church of that denomination in the state, was held at the Edgewood Congregational church today. The general theme of the conference was "The Holy Scriptures."

Among the speakers were Rev. Wallace Nutting of this city, Rev. F. H. Decker of Westerly, Rev. Charles E. Gordon of East Providence and Dr. George M. Boynton of Boston.

Ida Marie Rogers has closed her engagement with her company, having accepted a position with the Broadway Theatre of New York, with Henry Savage in a new production. Miss Rogers will not go to New York until the latter part of November. She has kindly offered her services to the entertainment committee of the Humane Society festival to appear with the talent of the Castle theatre, who will give their services to aid this charity at the fair Friday evening.

ADMIRAL BOWLES

Will Head Quincy Shipbuilding Company

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—President Thomas A. Watson of the Fore River Ship & Iron company of Quincy, Mass., in an interview on the announcement that Rear Admiral Bowles will become president of the company, said:

"As the president and largest stockholder of the company it has been my desire for a long time to secure the services of Rear Admiral Bowles in connection with our work of ship-building, as he is undoubtedly the man best fitted, both by education and practical experience, to take charge of our complicated and difficult work. Not being a naval constructor myself, I have held my position as president of the company until Admiral Bowles could be induced to accept the presidency of my company. His taking the position marks another step of the utmost importance to the development of the ship building industry of New England and the admiral enters upon his work under the most happy auspices. I shall retain my connection with and in the company as chairman of the board of directors."

Mr. Watson said his company had at present under construction three United States battleships, the Rhode Island, the New Jersey and the Vermont and protected cruiser Des Moines.

IN BAD SHAPE

CLAIR CONTINUES IN A COMATOSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27.—The anxiety of the friends of James L. Blair was increased today by the news that the patient was still in a comatose state. The grand jury will re-convene this afternoon to continue the investigation of the charges against Blair. New witnesses will be summoned but no intimation of their identity was given.

A crisis in Mr. Blair's is expected within the next 48 hours. President Francis, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, said today:

"James L. Blair, the former counsel of the corporation, is no longer connected with the exposition in any way. We do not owe him a cent nor does he owe us a cent."

Chief of Detectives Desmond has been trying for a month or more to locate Carey M. Blair, a younger brother of James L. Blair, and has not been successful.

BEGINS SUIT

KIMBALL WANTS $5000 FOR SERVICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27—Alleging that he received no compensation for his work as agent in bringing about the sale of the Canada, Atlantic & Plant steamship company, Frank J. Kimball of New York today began suit in the supreme judicial court against Alfred S. Hayes, A. W. Perry and F. J. Daggett, the purchasers of the steamship line. The plaintiff declared that he was to have received $50,000 for his services as agent. He sues for alleged breach of contract.

COURT MERRIMACK, NO. 11, F. OF A.

Are to hold a reunion on Thursday, Oct. 29. A good time is assured for all. The tickets are 25 cents, admitting gentleman and ladies. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee will be served by the auxiliary Companions of the Forest and other lady friends of the court. Dancing. Music by Middlesex orchestra.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Cotton: Futures opened easy. Oct. 10.20; Nov. 10.11; Dec. 10.23; Jan. 10.10; Feb. 10.10 bid; March 10.18; May 10.33; June 10.20; July 10.20.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NARROW ESCAPE

Big Derrick Fell at the Gas Works

WITH SEVERAL WORKMEN NEARBY

It Carried Away Northern Telegraph Wires

Employes of the Riter-Conley Co., now at work on the new purifier being erected for the Lowell Gas Light Co. in School street as well as the employes of the Boston & Maine railroad in the vicinity of the School street crossing, had a narrow escape from being killed this afternoon by the falling of a huge 80-foot derrick on the gas company's land. As it was many had narrow escapes and dozens of wires of the Boston & Maine railroad, telegraph and electric light companies were torn down.

The Riter-Conley Co. is erecting a purifier for the gas light company on the land which lies between the huge gasometer and the railroad track in School street. The foundation of the new building has been completed and recently the main boom of an 80-foot derrick was put in position, it being held by huge wire guys on all sides.

This afternoon at about 1.30 o'clock the people in the vicinity of School street heard a loud snapping sound of wires and limbs of trees and then a crash as though a building had collapsed. Investigation brought to light the fact that one of the guy wires holding the derrick boom had parted and in its downward flight the huge boom took limbs of trees and wires with it while the sound of the falling mass of wood terrified a number of people.

Many of the wires which were broken belonged to the Boston & Maine railroad and were used as signal wires to announce the approach of the train from the north and south, while several electric light wires and telegraph wires went down. The big tree at the School street crossing was shattered and almost every limb was torn off.

There were many people in the vicinity at the time, but luckily they managed to escape with their lives, not a soul being injured.

Traffic through School street was blocked for over an hour, that portion of the street between Rock and the railroad crossing being roped off. Traffic through this place was dangerous owing to the number of wires that were down. Extra precaution had to be taken on the railroad in order to avoid collisions also. After a little over an hour's hard work the street was cleared of the wires and the men were at work readjusting the derrick boom.

UNKNOWN MAN

Struck by an Electric Car in No. Andover

A man answering to the following description and giving his name as James Howard, lies in a serious condition at the Lawrence General hospital, the result of injuries sustained by being struck by an electric car on the Haverhill & Andover line in North Andover, last night: Age, 45 years, heavy build, five feet eight inches tall, gray eyes, heavy sandy hair, mustache brown. Wore black coat and vest, black overcoat, dark trousers, white collar, knitted black tie and button shoes, with derby hat. In appearance he resembles a foreigner. In his pockets were found a small amount of money, a pay envelope numbered 265, and marked $14. A clay pipe and tobacco were found also, besides a silver watch, numbered 8010020. The watch case was numbered 3268. No other articles were found on his person that would tend to reveal his identity.

He was struck near Massachusetts avenue in North Andover, shortly after 11 o'clock. The last car from Haverhill to Andover had just reached Massachusetts avenue, and the whistle had been blown, when the motorman detected the man walking in the car tracks. He was so close to the car the strenuous efforts of the motorman were insufficient to cause the stopping of the car. The victim was struck and thrown down. He was picked up by the car crew and it was seen that he was seriously injured. He was taken into the car and it proceeded to Andover, where Chief of Police Frye was notified. Chief Frye summoned Dr. J. P. Torrey, who gave the man medical attendance and ordered him removed to the local general hospital.

At the hospital the man is receiving skilful treatment, but the chances for his recovery are considered slim. His recovery is said to depend on how he passes the next 24 hours. Although it seems certain that he cannot recover, it is possible that he may. His right leg is fractured near the knee and on his head are five cuts, and two or three depressions that may possibly be fractures of the skull, and if his skull is fractured his chances of recovery are very slim.

This morning he rallied sufficiently to answer a question in regard to his name, and he repeated "James Howard" several times. It is believed that this is his name, but he did not sufficiently rouse to tell where he lives, and that is still unknown.

Medical Examiner George W. Dow examined him this morning and found the injuries above stated. The doctor reports him to be in a semi-comatose condition.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

DANGEROUS MAN

Bought Cigarettes and Scratched a Match

A woman who keeps a little store in the outskirts of the city telephoned to the police station this afternoon and inquired for Deputy Welch.

"This is the deputy," said the staunch Redmond, "What can I do for you?"

"I thought I would speak to you about burglars," she replied.

"What did you want to say about them?"

"I read in the paper that till tappers were in the city and I'm almost certain that one of them called at my store last Saturday night."

"Why do you think so?"

"Well, he looked as though he would do something like that. He had long slim fingers and funny eyes."

"Notice anything else wrong about him?"

"Well, he acted kind of queer, can't just explain, but you can imagine what I mean."

"You better watch out sharp," replied the deputy as he hung up the receiver.

A few minutes later the telephone bell sounded again. It was the same little woman and she wanted to speak with the deputy.

"What is it, this is the deputy?"

"How nice that you are always at the telephone."

"What is it?" asked the deputy rather impatiently. "I'm in a hurry."

"O, dear me, I'm sorry, but I forgot to tell you that that young man bought a box of cigarettes and lighted a match on the lock of my door."

"Guess he was trying to find the combination," suggested the deputy.

"That's just exactly what I thought," said the little woman and the deputy said "good-bye."

JUDGE FISHER

Believes Town of Billerica Can't Object

There is a difference of opinion between the selectmen of Billerica and counsel for the town, Judge Frederick A. Fisher, relative to the powder magazine question. Judge Fisher has not yet told the selectmen that the courts would not uphold them in opposing the Cartridge company, but he has inked so close to that line that the selectmen know about what he is going to say later. The judge said today that he did not want to advise the selectmen through the newspapers and he did not care to talk. He would not deny, however, that he intends to advise the selectmen to give up any thought of opposition to the Cartridge company.

SNOW ON GROUND

AS NEAR LOWELL AS DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Lowell men who came from the north this morning report that there is snow on the ground as far south as Dover, N. H.

FOR LARCENY

MAN ROBBED ANOTHER WHILE HE SLEPT.

Inspector Martin Maher, this afternoon, arrested Patrick Broderick on a warrant charging him with larceny. Broderick, it is alleged, stole about $12 in money from one Louis Guilette while the latter slept, a week ago last Saturday.

DEATHS

McCARTHY—John McCarthy, aged 26 years, died today at the home of his sister, Mrs. Peter Cullen, 127 Fayette street. He leaves to mourn his loss two sisters, Mrs. Peter Cullen and Mrs. Margaret Bouchard.

BEAUTIFUL EXHIBITION.

McManmon, the florist, invites those interested in flowers, to attend his exhibition of beautiful chrysanthemums and other varieties of cut flowers, plants, etc., at his conservatories at Dracut. Take the Lawrence car.

MRS. ATKINS' RECOVERS.

Mrs. Jane Atkins, who was found almost dead in her room, 481 Merrimack street, yesterday, being overcome by gas, was released from St. John's hospital this afternoon and taken to her home.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, Odd Ladies, was held last night, and socials for the coming winter season were discussed. A pedlar's parade will be held by this organization on the ninth of next month. The admission will be free.

"TYPOS" FIGHT

Injunction Asked Against Boston Printers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—In the superior court today, Judge Braley postponed action on the bill in equity brought by the American Type Founders company against the International Typographical union, the Boston Type Founders' union, and other unions in the printing trade. The plaintiffs wished to restrain the officers of these unions from attempting to persuade the members of their organizations from breaking contracts, from establishing pickets or committing any acts intended to intimidate workmen engaged in their work under contract.

George Fred Williams, counsel for the defendant, stated to the court that he was not ready to go on with the case. Louis D. Brandeis, who appeared for the plaintiffs, argued that although he was willing to give time to the other side, he thought that, pending the trial of the case, there should be some sort of an order of injunction which might be in force.

Judge Braley made the suggestion that the counsel draw up a form of agreement that should then be entered by the court as a decree. This was accepted by the contending parties.

GOLD BURIED

PEOPLE IN VICINITY OF DUDLEY GREATLY EXCITED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27—People living in the vicinity of Dudley are much exercised over the rumor that $5000 in gold is buried somewhere on the "Vinton farm" in that place. The money is said to have been buried in the ground by two brothers, who accumulated it in the west but who lost all clue to the spot. One of the brothers died a few years ago and the survivor, now 80 years of age, has given up the search and consequently has given the rest of the world an opportunity.

CONFLICT EXPECTED

CLASH OF INTERESTS IN GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 27.—In some respects it is said the annual stockholders' meeting of the Guardian Trust company, which will be held at the general offices of the company tomorrow, will be the most important the company ever held, for there promises to be a final conflict between the John W. Gates interests and those of the founder of the company, A. E. Stillwell, president of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad. Already several of the eastern stockholders who are members of the directory are in the city. Among them are H. H. Harris of New York, William D. Black of Philadelphia, Henry Barnes of New Haven and Edward Wagner of Berlin. These men are known to be allied with the Stillwell interests and they met informally to discuss a plan for regaining control of the company. A plan is said to be on foot to wind up the affairs of the company, according to one authority, in which, it is asserted, all the Stillwell interests will be centralized in the United States and Mexican Trust company which Mr. Stillwell organized to finance his newly projected railway, the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient. The latter proposition would not be discussed by stockholders now here.

N. H. Y. P. S. C. E.

SOCIETY OF LETTERS HOLDS ANNUAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 27.—About 300 members of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor in New Hampshire assembled here this afternoon. The annual convention of the organization was opened in the First Baptist church by Rev. Albert P. Watson, of Bedford. The visitors were welcomed by Rev. Dr. C. W. Richardson, pastor of the First Congregational church of this city. Additional addresses were delivered by State President Rev. James Alexander of Newport, N. H.; Benjamin O. Pillsbury of Concord, and by Miss Abby Jewett of Laconia. Rev. Francis E. Clarke, D.D., will speak tonight.

FIRST SNOW FALL

AT ST. JOHN, N. B., LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 27—The first snow fall of the season appeared during the night and early this morning throughout this province. In some places the snow was three inches deep. A heavy frost accompanied the downfall and the country today had a wintry appearance.

Miss Mabelle Higgins has accepted a position as operator with the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., Boston, Mass.

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RICE WILL CASE

Court of Appeals Decides Against Patrick

CONCURS WITH THE LOWER COURT'S JUDGMENT

Declaring Rice Will a Forgery

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The court of appeals today handed down a decision denying the appeal of Albert T. Patrick in the matter of the probate of the will of William M. Rice of whose murder he stands convicted.

The court concurs in the judgment of the lower courts that the alleged will offered by Patrick is a forgery.

The court affirms judgment without opinion.

45 YEARS OLD

President Roosevelt Observes His Birthday

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—President Roosevelt today celebrated the 45th anniversary of his birth. Many beautiful and touching reminders of the event came to him from every part of the country. Hundreds of telegrams and letters of congratulation were received at the White House during the day. When the members of the cabinet assembled for the usual semi-weekly meeting, they joined in extending cordial congratulations to the president. The cabinet rooms and the president's private office were filled with flowers.

Early in the executive day a committee representing the Hungarian Republican club of New York, of which the president is an honorary member, called to convey to him the annual expression of the club's good wishes and to congratulate him upon his birthday.

HAVE NEW CLUES

Cambridge Police on Fermoyle Case Again

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27—The murder of James H. Fermoyle, an Arlington painter found dead in the marshes in this city in August of last year, has again been taken up by the police here with the expectation, it is said, that arrests will soon be made. Several months ago Stephen J. Alphen and Robert E. Gallagher, who had been indicted on the charge of manslaughter in causing Fermoyle's death, were discharged in the superior court. In connection with the renewed activity by the police, Edward Hamilton was today held for the grand jury charged with breaking and entering and larceny at the Blake-Knowles pump works, East Cambridge. According to the police Hamilton was the companion of Luther Noble, the man who accused Alphen and Gallagher of murdering Fermoyle. Recently Noble was himself held for the grand jury on a breaking and entering charge. The Blake factory is adjacent to the marsh on which Fermoyle's body was found. The police intimate the possibility of a more serious charge against Noble and Hamilton.

POSTMASTER VAN COTT

DENIES ALL KNOWLEDGE OF PROMOTION SYNDICATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Postmaster Van Cott of the New York postoffice said today in regard to the announcement that the New York postoffice was to be investigated by order of Postmaster General Payne.

"Officially I know nothing of the proposed investigation as yet. Of alleged promotion syndicate, I have no knowledge. Of course if I knew such a syndicate existed here I would do my best to destroy it root and branch."

AT MINNEAPOLIS

NEXT UNIVERSALIST CONVENTION WILL BE HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The general convention of the Universalist church today chose Minneapolis for the meeting in 1905. There was a spirited debate over the status of the general superintendent. The committee on officials reports, headed by Dr. R. Johnson of Chicago, recommended that he be elective by the board of trustees. Dr. Perkins of Massachusetts offered a substitution, making that official elective by the convention biennially and that he be president of the trustees. The substitute was lost and the committee's recommendation adopted.

There was a discussion over the resolution that the superintendent act as financial agent, but Dr. W. W. Pierce of Franklin, Mass., opposed this resolution, contending that the duties should be solely spiritual. Action of the recommendation was deferred.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

TEACHERS HOLD CONVENTION IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—The first annual convention of the Christian Science Teachers of the United States, which has been in progress at the First Church Christ, scientist, this city, for the past two days, was closed late this afternoon. Most of the teachers in attendance will remain in Boston until tomorrow in order to be present at the testimonial at the mother church.

WILL ORGANIZE

Employers of Labor Will Also Organize

CONVENTION WILL BE HELD IN CHICAGO

By the National Trade Organizations

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 27—Delegates representing a score of national trade organizations will attend a meeting to be held here October 29 and 30 for the purpose of forming a national employers' association to deal with labor problems.

The organization will be as far-reaching it is said, among employers as the American Federation of Labor is among the working classes.

A committee will meet tomorrow to draft a constitution and by-laws for the proposed organization.

The program for the two days' meeting as at present outlined provides for the discussion of the labor question, the establishment of an official organization and the formation of plans for the extension of the organization into every part of the country where employers have to deal with labor unions.

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$20,000 MISSING

Cause of the Armenian Feud

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Hovagin Maroukin, assistant editor of Young Armenia, the Boston organ of the Old Huntchask, or Armenian revolutionary party, upon being advised today through the Associated Press of the murder of Sagatel Sagouni, president of the Armenian Revolutionary society in London, said that he considered the crime due to existing differences between factions of the revolutionary party. In explanation, Mr. Maroukin said that the revolutionary party was founded some years ago for the purpose of securing the freedom of Armenia from Turkish rule, and that in 1902, the party split over the question of socialism. With the separation, Mr. Maroukin said, came the disclosure by old party representatives that $20,000 previously collected for use in freeing Armenia had disappeared.

Immediately, as the organ of the old party, Young Armenia, began calling for an explanation of the disappearance of the money, failing to receive which it considered the claim established that the funds had been criminally diverted from the purpose for which they were collected. This claim, Mr. Maroukin says, angered the other faction which had taken the name of the New Huntchask and its adherents displayed a most bitter feeling toward the old party members. Recently the editor said the differences have assumed hostile proportions with the result that two assassinations and two attempts at murder had occurred, the killing of Sagouni being the latest. The first assassination was of a member of the old party at Cairo, Egypt. The second act of hostility was the attempted assassination of Kureghian in Boston last summer. The third, an attempt to murder a member of the party named Naverbek in Paris about two weeks ago, the fourth, as indicated, the assassination of Sagouni, president of the old party in London.

Mr. Maroukin expressed no doubt that all these acts were the outgrowth of the claim of the old party that the $20,000 fund had been misappropriated.

THREE DROWNED

MEN WERE RETURNING FROM SHORE LEAVE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The U. S. transport Kilpatrick arrived here today from Havana, by way of Portland, Me., bringing back to this country four companies of coast artillery, the last American troops to leave Cuba. Two companies, the 23d and 24th, were landed at Portland and the 18th and 21st were brought to this city.

Sergeant John Heffner of the 18th company and Jack Rogers, captain's boy of the transport, were drowned in the harbor of Portland Saturday night while returning to the ship from shore leave. The boatman, Fred Staniford of Portland, was also drowned. Quartermaster Sergeant William Hoover and Privates Black, Neal Dayhaw and Frank Rout who were also in the dory when it capsized, were rescued.

Of the two companies of artillery landed here the 18th will go to Fort Schuyler and the 21st to Fort McHenry at Baltimore.

WILL REORGANIZE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A committee of bondholders in the Denver & Southwestern Railway company has issued a plan looking to the reorganization of the company's funded debt in order to arrange for the prompt payment of the semi-annual interest on its general mortgage five per cent. bonds which fall due December 1.

The company was formed in December, 1899, with $2,000,000 of preferred stock, $3,000,000 of common stock and general mortgage of five per cent. bonds to the amount of $5,000,000.

A BITTER FIGHT

Parks' Trial Will be Hard Fought

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The second trial of Samuel Parks, the labor leader, on an extortion charge, was continued before Judge Newburger today.

The care and discretion exercised by both the people and the defense in the examination of talesmen may be taken as an indication of the bitterness of the prospective legal contest over the case.

Parks is charged with taking $500 from Louis Schmidt in connection with the Tiffany Studios.

At the opening of today's session the court room was crowded with spectators and talesmen. None was admitted except those who could show proper credentials. Parks' followers were excluded.

When Judge Newburger took his seat the names of the special jurors for the Parks trial were called. Just then Parks came into court accompanied by a deputy sheriff and as he walked from the door leading from the passage of the "Bridge of Sighs" he scanned nearly every face in the room. Parks' lawyers shook hands with the prisoner, whose face wore an anxious look. He appeared a little more haggard and pale than on yesterday, but his eyes were keen and his jaws firmly set, indicating that he was full of fight as ever.

The examination of talesmen was resumed.

DOWIE'S HOSTS

HAVE VISITED ABOUT 400,000 HOMES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—At an early morning service in Madison Square Garden today, Dowie gave a brief address on "Covetousness," and also spoke about the work done by his followers here, saying that a great many converts had been made and about 400,000 homes visited.

He announced that public baptism would take place in the garden this week but that he had not decided when it should occur.

BARON GEVERS

HAS THREE JOBS FROM WHICH TO SELECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27—The Associated Press is informed by a diplomat who has just returned from Europe that Baron W. A. Gevers, the Netherlands minister to the United States, has been offered the Rome, St. Petersburg or Constantinople missions and that he probably will accept the Italian post, that he may be near his aged mother, who is in Holland.

Baron Givers is absent on leave and official confirmation of the report is as yet unobtainable.

HAYS JURY

DISAGREED AFTER AN ALL NIGHT'S SESSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 27.—After being out all night, the jury in the suit of Major William B. Hays, disagreed and were discharged today. The case will be re-tried.

The charge against the mayor is misdemeanor in the removal of Samuel Moore, a Civil war veteran, from the employment of the city without just cause.

CREW EXHAUSTED

Worked at Pumps for Ten Hours

BRITISH SCHOONER WAS ABANDONED AT SEA

The Boat Encountered Heavy Seas

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Having on board the crew of five men of the British schooner Swanhilda, of Annapolis, N. S., which was abandoned at sea yesterday, 29 miles south by east from Seguine, off the Maine coast, the fishing schooner Fish Hawk arrived in the harbor today. The crew of the Swanhilda, having been working incessantly at the pumps for ten hours, were almost exhausted when the Fish Hawk which happened to tack across their bow, saw the distress signals and hastened to the rescue. Within half an hour, the Swanhilda went to the bottom, carrying all the belongings of the crew.

The rescued men are:

Captain J. W. McNamara, Mate Joseph Anderson, Cook Andrew Faulkner and seamen Ross Graham and Howard Graham.

Captain McNamara stated that the Swanhilda was bound from Edgewater, N. Y., to Windsor, N. S., with a cargo of 200 tons of coal. On Sunday afternoon, on account of the northwesterly gale, the captain ran under Cape Ann intending to make Salem for a harbor. Before reaching there, however, the gale increased in force and when the schooner was reefed she began to leak. The water gained steadily in the vessel's hold and she was gradually sinking when sighted by the Fish Hawk. With great difficulty, on account of the tremendous sea, in half an hour, two men in a boat from the Fish Hawk rescued the crew of the Swanhilda.

On reaching here the crew reported to the British consul who arranged for sending them to their homes in Nova Scotia, on the steamer Prince Arthur today.

The Swanhilda was built at Annapolis, N. S., in 1892, and was re-built six years later. She was of 120 tons net and 136 tons gross. Six months ago the Swanhilda was purchased by Edward D. Thompson of Parrsboro. Her value when lost is estimated at about $4,000 with insurance at two-thirds of this amount. Her cargo of coal was valued at $1100 and is said to have been insured.

REPORT DENIED

THAT WESTERN ROADS WILL REDUCE WAGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Emphatic denial is made here by representatives of several important western railroads to wide circulated rumors that a concerted effort was to be made by the western roads to reduce wages. The opinion was generally expressed that no such plan was under consideration and in some quarters it was said that such a move would not be feasible. Reductions in expenses are being made by the western roads in common with those in other parts of the country, but this is being accomplished in the main by reduction in shop expenses and in construction and improvement work.

STINSON ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH ATTEMPT TO EXTORT $10,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Joseph D. Stinson, said to belong to a wealthy family of York, Pa., and formerly attached to the census bureau in Washington, is under arrest here together with H. B. Gilroy, alleged to be the accomplice of Stinson in an attempt to extort $10,000 from a New York mercantile agency.

The general manager of the concern, in his complaint, alleged that Stinson threatened to sell secret records to rival commercial agencies. Gilroy was arrested in an uptown hotel.

GRUNDMAN IS DEAD

CRAZED BY HIS LOSS CAUSED BY FLOOD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Crazed by the loss of all his possessions in the recent Paterson floods, Frank Grundman, a florist, is dead at a hospital here.

Although he had a trying experience in rescuing his wife from death and then saving himself, it was the destruction of his hot house, in which he had numerous rare plants, and the loss of a flock of Japanese pheasants that shattered his mind. Grundman had spent several years in making the collection.

INSTANTLY KILLED

A CARPENTER WAS WHIRLED AROUND SHAFTING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELLOWS FALLS, Vt., Oct. 27.—While repairing a paper making machine at the International Paper company's mills here today, C. A. Southard, a carpenter, was whirled around the shafting and mangled to death. Death was instantaneous.

Southard belongs in Bristol, N. H., and had been employed by the company only a few weeks. A widow and several children, residing in Bristol, survive him. The body was taken home by the Odd Fellows, of which Southard was a member.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Noon—Money on call steady at 2½; prime mercantile paper 5½ @ ¾.

Exchanges, $190,538,981; Balances, $11,239,564.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Donnelly of High street, are rejoicing over the birth of a twelve pound girl born Saturday.

TRIP POSTPONED

Bryan Will Await Judge Cleaveland's Decision

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 27.—William J. Bryan today said that he had postponed his trip to Europe, he having expected to have sailed from New York tomorrow and would not make any definite plans until after Judge Cleaveland had given his decision in the Bennett will case. He further said that the court had stated that possibly a week would elapse before the decision would be made public.

SAFE BLOWERS

MAKE ANOTHER BIG HAUL NEAR HALIFAX.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 27—The third robbery within a few weeks in the northwestern section of the province occurred early today at Collingwood, a village near Oxford Junction on the Intercolonial railway.

Burglars entered the general store of Charles Braggs and blew open the safe with dynamite, carrying off $1700 in cash. The store was somewhat damaged by the explosion.

There is no clue to the identity of the burglars.

HANGED HIMSELF

NEW BEDFORD MAN SUCCUMBS TO DESPONDENCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 27—John M. McLeod, a well known carpenter and contractor, a resident of Dartmouth, committed suicide last night and was found this morning, by hanging. McLeod has been in ill-health for a year or more and during the past three months has suffered considerably. This morning about sunrise Mrs. McLeod looked out the window and saw her husband hanging from the cherry tree by a rope around his neck.

ADMIRAL RAE

REPORTS ON WORK OF STEAM ENGINEERING BUREAU.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The annual report of Rear-Admiral C. W. Rae chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering, for the fiscal year ended June 30, last says:

"The report of the liquid fuel board when published will be of inestimable benefit to the manufacturing, maritime and naval world, and will show the far-reaching benefit of careful, conscientious and extended experimental investigation. Neither in extent nor in character have these tests been equalled either at home or abroad and the bureau feels assured that when the results of the experiments are made known that the necessity and advisability of conducting extended investigation in other directions will be made manifest."

The report earnestly requests the detail of junior line officers as assistants to the naval inspectors of material, in order that the training that they would receive may fit them for the important duties of inspectors in charge.

Reviewing the needs of the bureau at the different yards, the following recommendations are made for the yards named:

Portsmouth, N. H., entire set of buildings for the bureau; Boston, power plant; New York several new buildings; League Island, additional tools; Norfolk, auxiliary machine shop; Mare Island, appropriation for remaining buildings proposed for the new plant; Puget Sound, pattern shop, power house and administration building, Key West, new foundry; Pensacola, complete outfit of shops.

The estimated cost for tools and machine plant at Charlestown is given as $250,000.

RUNNING OVERTIME

TIN-PLATE COMPANY HAS RUSH OF BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Oct. 27.—The plant of the McKeesport Tin-plate company has been placed in full operation and every department of the plant is working triple turn. An official states that the company has orders booked to keep the plant in full operation until after the first of the year. The mills at the W. D. Wood plant have also been placed in operation. At the National Tube Works, where several departments were closed last week, work has been resumed.

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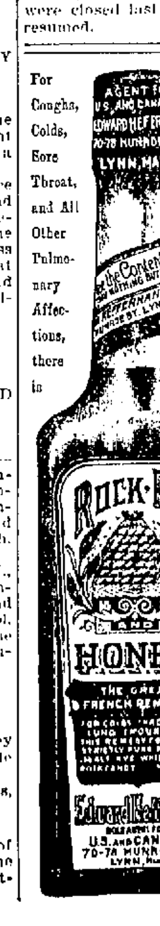

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DRESSER HEARING

Further Testimony in Bankruptcy Case

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The hearing in the bankruptcy proceedings of the firm of Dresser & Co., of which Daniel Leroy Dresser, formerly connected with the United States Ship-building concern was president, was resumed today before a referee. At former hearings four witnesses testified that he had certified blindly that the securities deposited for the benefit of the creditors by promoters of a Staten Island realty company who wanted Mr. Dresser as president, was worth $850,000, whereas at the time of the deposit they knew nothing of the value of the stocks and bonds delivered in a closed package to C. W. Youngman, president of the corporation finance company. Mr. Dresser was the first witness.

After the delivery of the securities to Mr. Youngman, Mr. Dresser said Mr. Youngman told him he was satisfied with the certification of $101,000 of the securities and that the rest was undoubtedly all right. Afterwards M. C. Quimby, chief promoter of the company, gave him a list of the stocks now known to be incorrect.

A number of questions were asked regarding Mr. Dresser's connection with the U. S. Ship-building company and the Trust Company of the Republic, and Mr. Dresser said his failure was due to the loss of $570,000 in the stock of the trust company. His interest in the ship-building affairs was only in connection with the trust company. He said that in November he had received about $570,000 of the common and preferred stock of the ship-building company which he had sold at once for $100,000 and put the money into his business, his credit being curtailed on account of the fall in the trust company's stock from 370 to nothing.

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Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.13, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.41, *1.55, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, a2.30, a3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.33, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 5.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.39 (to Franklin only,) 5.10, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

aVia Wakefield Junction.

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WANTED—Elderly woman to take care of two children; must be able to go home evenings. Call 1 rear 34 Coburn street.

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WANTED—Old lady to do housework and take care of child. Rear 124 High street.

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YOUNG MEN to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods, position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by board of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamps. Department 34 A. Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cheap, house lots near mills and electrics; instalment plan; easy terms. Inquire 467 Merrimack street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Four-room house partly finished and 10,000 feet of land on Hemlock street, Mt. Pleasant, Dracut. No reasonable offer refused.

NOVELTY STORE

Having complete line of dry goods and gents' furnishings, fruits, cigars and tobacco, doing a good tea and coffee business; also new soda fountain with fixtures necessary to conduct an A1 store; this store is doing a fine business, but owner is obliged to leave the city and will sell at a price any one will buy, $100; stock alone will appraise more than that.

FARM 40 acres, good buildings, 15 head stock; for all $2 60.

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J. W. BRUCE & CO.

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H. C. GREENE

LICENSED DETECTIVE

Evidence secured in all matters. All business confidential.

29 CENTRAL STREET

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two Concords, 2 democrats, 2 Goddards, 1 doctor's phaeton, 1 Corning and two-horse truck and several others. P. A. Muckenzie, 520 Broadway. Tel. 601-2.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 129 Branch street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fast bay pacer, pneumatic tired wagon and Concord wagon. Inquire 222 Moody street.

LADIES, ATTENTION—Big bargains; dress goods, remnants, from the Merrimack Woolen Co. Corner store, Lakeview and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 376 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Bakery, centrally located; bargain if sold at once; stock and fixtures. Apply 117 Chapel street.

FOR SALE—St. Bernard dog; 3 years old; first class watch dog. Inquire 27 West Fourth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, lot of land in Dracut. Inquire 236 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Ouillet, 31 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 35c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kralgee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 106 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 750 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office. 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, 71 Tyler street. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 910 Central St.

MRS. FLETCHER, 763 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex street.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co, 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, room 9, Barristers hall.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Beaded side bag containing sum of money and other articles between Merrimack square and post office. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Monday night on Merrimack street, a Boston bag containing small sum of money. Finder will please return same to salesman No. 9 at Merrimack Clothing Co. and receive reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch monogram on case, somewhere between Durant and John streets. Reward for return to 117 Durant street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—Pair of glass-cut rosary beads Sunday between St. Joseph's church and Merrimack square. Return to 779 Aiken street. E. S. Donarlan.

LOST—$10 bill either on Lawrence street car or on Lawrence street. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

LOST—Lady's black silk belt with fancy colored metal buckle, on Merrimack or East Merrimack street. Suitable reward at The Sun office.

STATE POLICE

Take Hand in Messenger Boys' Trouble

Many Girls Under 21 Years Were Discharged Today Because They Had Not Proper School Certificates—Boys are Confident of Winning

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—A new spirit of hope that they would regain their position seemed to fill the messenger boys of the Western Union Telegraph company as they assembled today near the company's office on State street. This was due to the passage of the order by the board of aldermen providing that the Western Union Telegraph company be compelled to remove all its poles within the city limits within the next two months, an order which they understood would be enforced unless they were restored to the places from which they were locked out.

As on yesterday, the collection and delivery of telegrams was carried on by girls and women messengers today.

In consequence of a complaint made to Chief Wade of the State police, that the Western Union company was violating the labor laws by employing girls under the age specified by statute, several members of the state police were ordered to investigate the complaint. The officers reported that they had found that no girl under 16 years of age was being employed by the company.

Many of those between the ages of 16 and 21, however, were not provided with the regular certificate which illiterate minors must have. They had been hired on the strength of certificates from school teachers. The officers reported, therefore, that there was a technical violation of the law.

After conferring with Chief Wade, Manager Nathan, of the Western Union Telegraph company, issued an order that all girls under 21 be discharged immediately, to be re-employed only upon the presentation of the regular school certificate provided by law.

SITUATION IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 27.—The strike of the messenger boys in the Boston offices of the Western Union Telegraph company is but very indirectly affecting conditions in the local offices of that company. While groups of boys were seen discussing the plan of joining in a sympathetic strike with the Boston lads, it proved but boys' talk, there being but two or three who were agitating the movement. There is no union of the boys here and in the event of trouble their places could be filled instantly.

MASS. W. C. T. U.

Opened Convention in Springfield Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 27.—The annual three days convention of Mass. W. C. T. U. opened in Trinity Methodist church this afternoon, with 275 delegates in attendance. The convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. Catherine Lente Stevenson, and addresses of welcome were given by Rev. Eugene M. Antrim, pastor of Trinity church, and Mrs. M. L. Knell of Westfield. Mrs. Phoebe H. Clifford, president of the Plymouth county union, responded for the delegates. The State corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harriett T. Todd, reported that during the year 11 new unions had been formed and 650 names added to the membership. The address of the afternoon was delivered by Mrs. Stevenson, who reviewed the work of the year, pointing out its strength and weaknesses.

HEINZE SITUATION

HILL REFUSES TO DISCUSS THE QUESTION

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 27.—James J. Hill when asked today if he had fixed a date when he could meet the mediation committee proposed to adjust the Amalgamated-Heinze situation in Montana, said: "I don't want to say anything about it. I have not decided on the date. If I can do any good I will be glad to do so, but I don't talk for publication, as publicity might do a great deal of harm."

TO AVERT STRIKE

COMMITTEE CONFERS WITH RAILROAD OFFICIALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A joint committee, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, with Vice Grand Chief Ingraham of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Grand Chief Hannahan of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, conferred today with officials of the Interborough Rapid Transit company to arrange if possible, a settlement of the the motormen of its elevated trains in differences between the company and Manhattan over the question of examinations and thus obviate the possibility of the threatened strike.

RHODE ISLAND CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 27.—The autumnal meeting of the Rhode Island conference of Congregational churches, which includes every church of that denomination in the state, was held at the Edgewood Congregational church today. The general theme of the conference was "The Holy Scriptures."

Among the speakers were Rev. Wallace Nutting of this city, Rev. F. H. Decker of Westerly, Rev. Charles E. Gordon of East Providence and Dr. George M. Boynton of Boston.

Ida Marie Rogers has closed her engagement with her company, having accepted a position with the Broadway Theatre of New York, with Henry Savage in a new production. Miss Rogers will not go to New York until the latter part of November. She has kindly offered her services to the entertainment committee of the Humane Society festival to appear with the talent of the Casto theatre, who will give their services to aid this charity at the fair Friday evening.

ADMIRAL BOWLES

Will Head Quincy Shipbuilding Company

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—President Thomas A. Watson of the Fore River Ship & Iron company of Quincy, Mass., in an interview on the announcement that Rear Admiral Bowles will become president of the company, said:

"As the president and largest stockholder of the company it has been my desire for a long time to secure the services of Rear Admiral Bowles in connection with out work of ship-building, as he is undoubtedly the man best fitted, both by education and practical experience, to take charge of our complicated and difficult work. Not being a naval constructor myself, I have held my position as president of the company until Admiral Bowles could be induced to accept the presidency of my company. His taking the position marks another step of the utmost importance to the development of the ship building industry of New England and the admiral enters upon his work under the most happy auspices. I shall retain my connection with and in the company as chairman of the board of directors."

Mr. Watson said his company had at present under construction three United States battleships, the Rhode Island, the New Jersey and the Vermont and protected cruiser Des Moines.

IN BAD SHAPE

CLAIR CONTINUES IN A COMATOSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27.—The anxiety of the friends of James L. Blair was increased today by the news that the patient was still in a comatose state. The grand jury will re-convene this afternoon to continue the investigation of the charges against Blair. New witnesses will be summoned but no intimation of their identity was given.

A crisis in Mr. Blair's is expected within the next 48 hours. President Francis, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, said today:

"James L. Blair, the former counsel of the corporation, is no longer connected with the exposition in any way. We do not owe him a cent nor does he owe us a cent."

Chief of Detectives Desmond has been trying for a month or more to locate Carey M. Blair, a younger brother of James L. Blair, and has not been successful.

BEGINS SUIT

KIMBALL WANTS $50.00 FOR SERVICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Alleging that he received no compensation for his work as agent in bringing about the sale of the Canada, Atlantic & Plant steamship company, Frank J. Kimball of New York today began suit in the supreme judicial court against Alfred S. Hayes, A. W. Perry and F. J. Daggett, the purchasers of the steamship line. The plaintiff declared that he was to have received $50,000 for his services as agent. He sues for alleged breach of contract.

COURT MERRIMACK, NO. 11, F. OF A.

Are to hold a reunion on Thursday, Oct. 29. A good time is assured for all. The tickets are 25 cents, admitting gentleman and ladies. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee will be served by the auxiliary Companions of the Forest and other lady friends of the court. Dancing. Music by Middlesex orchestra.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Cotton: Futures opened easy, Oct. 10.30; Nov. 10.11; Dec. 10.23; Jan. 10.10; Feb. 10.10 bid; March 10.16; May 10.23; June 10.20; July 10.20.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NARROW ESCAPE

Big Derrick Fell at the Gas Works

WITH SEVERAL WORKMEN NEARBY

It Carried Away Northern Telegraph Wires

Employes of the Riter-Conley Co., now at work on the new purifier being erected for the Lowell Gas Light Co. in School street as well as the employes of the Boston & Maine railroad in the vicinity of the School street crossing, had a narrow escape from being killed this afternoon by the falling of a huge 80-foot derrick on the gas company's land. As it was many had narrow escapes and dozens of wires of the Boston & Maine railroad, telegraph and electric light companies were torn down.

The Riter-Conley Co. is erecting a purifier for the gas light company on the land which lies between the huge gasometer and the railroad track in School street. The foundation of the new building has been completed and recently the main boom of an 80-foot derrick was put in position, it being held by huge wire guys on all sides.

This afternoon at about 1.30 o'clock the people in the vicinity of School street heard a loud snapping sound of wires and limbs of trees and then a crash as though a building had collapsed. Investigation brought to light the fact that one of the guy wires holding the derrick boom had parted and in its downward flight the huge boom took limbs of trees and wires with it while the sound of the falling mass of wood terrified a number of people.

Many of the wires which were broken belonged to the Boston & Maine railroad and were used as signal wires to announce the approach of the train from the north and south, while several electric light wires and telegraph wires went down. The big tree at the School street crossing was shattered and almost every limb was torn off.

There were many people in the vicinity at the time, but luckily they managed to escape with their lives, not a soul being injured.

Traffic through School street was blocked for over an hour, that portion of the street between Rock and the railroad crossing being roped off. Traffic through this place was dangerous owing to the number of wires that were down. Extra precaution had to be taken on the railroad in order to avoid collisions also. After a little over an hour's hard work the street was cleared of the wires and the men were at work readjusting the derrick boom.

UNKNOWN MAN

Struck by an Electric Car in No. Andover

A man answering to the following description and giving his name as James Howard, lies in a serious condition at the Lawrence General hospital, the result of injuries sustained by being struck by an electric car on the Haverhill & Andover line in North Andover, last night: Age, 45 years, heavy build, five feet eight inches tall, gray eyes, heavy sandy hair, mustache brown. Wore black coat and vest, black overcoat, dark trousers, white collar, knitted black tie and button shoes, with derby hat. In appearance he resembles a foreigner. In his pockets were found a small amount of money, a pay envelope numbered 265, and marked $14. A clay pipe and tobacco were found also, besides a silver watch, numbered 8010920. The watch case was numbered 3268. No other articles were found on his person that would tend to reveal his identity.

He was struck near Massachusetts avenue in North Andover, shortly after 11 o'clock. The last car from Haverhill to Andover had just reached Massachusetts avenue, and the whistle had been blown, when the motorman detected the man walking in the car tracks. He was so close to the car the strenuous efforts of the motorman were insufficient to cause the stopping of the car. The victim was struck and thrown down. He was picked up by the car crew and it was seen that he was seriously injured. He was taken into the car and it proceeded to Andover, where Chief of Police Frye was notified. Chief Frye summoned Dr. J. P. Torrey, who gave the man medical attendance and ordered him removed to the local general hospital.

At the hospital the man is receiving skilful treatment, but the chances for his recovery are considered slim. His recovery is said to depend on how he passes the next 24 hours. Although it seems certain that he cannot recover, it is possible that he may. His right leg is fractured near the knee and on his head are five cuts, and two or three depressions that may possibly be fractures of the skull, and if his skull is fractured his chances of recovery are very slim.

This morning he rallied sufficiently to answer a question in regard to his name, and he repeated "James Howard" several times. It is believed that this is his name, but he did not sufficiently rouse to tell where he lives, and that is still unknown.

Medical Examiner George W. Dow examined him this morning and found the injuries above stated. The doctor reports him to be in a semi-comatose condition.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

DANGEROUS MAN

Bought Cigarettes and Scratched a Match

A woman who keeps a little store in the outskirts of the city telephoned to the police station this afternoon and inquired for Deputy Welch.

"This is the deputy," said the staunch Redmond, "What can I do for you?"

"I thought I would speak to you about burglars," she replied.

"What did you want to say about them?"

"I read in the paper that till tappers were in the city and I'm almost certain that one of them called at my store last Saturday night."

"Why do you think so?"

"Well, he looked as though he would do something like that. He had long slim fingers and funny eyes."

"Notice anything else wrong about him?"

"Well, he acted kind of queer, can't just explain, but you can imagine what I mean."

"You better watch out sharp," replied the deputy as he hung up the receiver.

A few minutes later the telephone bell sounded again. It was the same little woman and she wanted to speak with the deputy.

"What is it, this is the deputy?"

"How nice that you are always at the telephone."

"What is it?" asked the deputy rather impatiently. "I'm in a hurry."

"O, dear me, I'm sorry, but I forgot to tell you that that young man bought a box of cigarettes and lighted a match on the lock of my door."

"Guess he was trying to find the combination," suggested the deputy.

"That's just exactly what I thought," said the little woman and the deputy said "good-bye."

JUDGE FISHER

Believes Town of Billerica Can't Object

There is a difference of opinion between the selectmen of Billerica and counsel for the town, Judge Frederick A. Fisher, relative to the powder magazine question. Judge Fisher has not yet told the selectmen that the courts would not uphold them in opposing the Cartridge company, but he has talked so close to that line that the selectmen know about what he is going to say later. The Judge said today that he did not want to advise the selectmen through the newspapers and he did not care to talk. He would not deny, however, that he intends to advise the selectmen to give up any thought of opposition to the Cartridge company.

SNOW ON GROUND

AS NEAR LOWELL AS DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Lowell men who came from the north this morning report that there is snow on the ground as far south as Dover, N. H.

FOR LARCENY

MAN ROBBED ANOTHER WHILE HE SLEPT.

Inspector Martin Maher, this afternoon, arrested Patrick Broderick on a warrant charging him with larceny. Broderick, it is alleged, stole about $12 in money from one Louis Guilette while the latter slept, a week ago last Saturday.

DEATHS

McCARTHY—John McCarthy, aged 25 years, died today at the home of his sister, Mrs. Peter Cullen, 127 Fayette street. He leaves to mourn his loss two sisters, Mrs. Peter Cullen and Mrs. Margaret Bouchard.

BEAUTIFUL EXHIBITION.

McManmon, the florist, invites those interested in flowers, to attend his exhibition of beautiful chrysanthemums and other varieties of cut flowers, plants, etc., at his conservatories at Dracut. Take the Lawrence car.

MRS. ATKINS RECOVERS.

Mrs. Jane Atkins, who was found almost dead in her room, 481 Merrimack street, yesterday, being overcome by gas, was released from St. John's hospital this afternoon and taken to her home.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, Odd Ladies, was held last night, and socials for the coming winter season were discussed. A pedlar's parade will be held by this organization on the ninth of next month. The admission will be free.

"TYPOS" FIGHT

Injunction Asked Against Boston Printers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—In the superior court today, Judge Braley postponed action on the bill in equity brought by the American Type Founders company against the International Typographical union, the Boston Type Founders' union, and other unions in the printing trade. The plaintiffs wished to restrain the officers of these unions from attempting to persuade the members of their organizations from breaking contracts, from establishing pickets or committing any acts intended to intimidate workmen engaged in their work under contract.

George Fred Williams, counsel for the defendant, stated to the court that he was not ready to go on with the case. Louis D. Brandeis, who appeared for the plaintiffs, argued that although he was willing to give time to the other side, he thought that, pending the trial of the case, there should be some sort of an order of injunction which might be in force.

Judge Braley made the suggestion that the counsel draw up a form of agreement that should then be entered by the court as a decree. This was accepted by the contending parties.

GOLD BURIED

PEOPLE IN VICINITY OF DUDLEY GREATLY EXCITED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27—People living in the vicinity of Dudley are much exercised over the rumor that $6000 in gold is buried somewhere on the "Vinton farm" in that place. The money is said to have been buried in the ground by two brothers, who accumulated it in the west but who lost all clue to the spot. One of the brothers died a few years ago and the survivor, now 80 years of age, has given up the search and consequently has given the rest of the world an opportunity.

CONFLICT EXPECTED

CLASH OF INTERESTS IN GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 27—In some respects it is said the annual stockholders' meeting of the Guardian Trust company, which will be held at the general offices of the company tomorrow, will be the most important the company ever held, for there promises to be a final conflict between the John W. Gates interests and those of the founder of the company, A. E. Stillwell, president of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad. Already several of the eastern stockholders who are members of the directory are in the city. Among them are H. H. Harris of New York, William D. Black of Philadelphia, Henry Barnes of New Haven and Edward Wagner of Berlin. These men are known to be allied with the Stillwell interests and they met informally to discuss a plan for regaining control of the company. A plan is said to be on foot to wind up the affairs of the company, according to one authority, in which, it is asserted, all the Stillwill interests will be centralized in the United States and Mexican Trust company which Mr. Stillwell organized to finance his newly projected railway, the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient. The latter proposition would not be discussed by stockholders now here.

N. H. Y. P. S. C. E.

SOCIETY OF LETTERS HOLDS ANNUAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 27.—About 300 members of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor in New Hampshire assembled here this afternoon. The annual convention of the organization was opened in the First Baptist church by Rev. Albert P. Watson, of Bedford. The visitors were welcomed by Rev. Dr. C. W. Richardson, pastor of the First Congregational church of this city. Additional addresses were delivered by State President Rev. James Alexander of Newport, N. H.; Benjamin O. Pillsbury of Concord, and by Miss Abby Jewett of Laconia. Rev. Francis E. Clarke, D.D., will speak tonight.

FIRST SNOW FALL

AT ST. JOHN, N. B., LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 27—The first snow fall of the season appeared during the night and early this morning throughout this province. In some places the snow was three inches deep. A heavy frost accompanied the downfall and the country today had a wintry appearance.

Miss Mabelle Higgins has accepted a position as operator with the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., Boston, Mass.

A. E. O'HEIR & CO., Agents

RICE WILL CASE

Court of Appeals Decides Against Patrick

CONCURS WITH THE LOWER COURT'S JUDGMENT

Declaring Rice Will a Forgery

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The court of appeals today handed down a decision denying the appeal of Albert T. Patrick in the matter of the probate of the will of William M. Rice of whose murder he stands convicted.

The court concurs in the judgment of the lower courts that the alleged will offered by Patrick is a forgery.

The court affirms judgment without opinion.

45 YEARS OLD

President Roosevelt Observes His Birthday

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—President Roosevelt today celebrated the 45th anniversary of his birth. Many beautiful and touching reminders of the event came to him from every part of the country. Hundreds of telegrams and letters of congratulation were received at the White House during the day. When the members of the cabinet assembled for the usual semi-weekly meeting, they joined in extending cordial congratulations to the president. The cabinet rooms and the president's private office were filled with flowers.

Early in the executive day a committee representing the Hungarian Republican club of New York, of which the president is an honorary member, called to convey to him the annual expression of the club's good wishes and to congratulate him upon his birthday.

HAVE NEW CLUES

Cambridge Police on Fermoyle Case Again

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27—The murder of James H. Fermoyle, an Arlington painter found dead in the marshes in this city in August of last year, has again been taken up by the police here with the expectation, it is said, that arrests will soon be made. Several months ago Stephen J. Alphen and Robert E. Gallagher, who had been indicted on the charge of manslaughter in causing Fermoyle's death, were discharged in the superior court. In connection with the renewed activity by the police, Edward Hamilton was today held for the grand jury charged with breaking and entering and larceny at the Blake-Knowles pump works, East Cambridge. According to the police Hamilton was the companion of Luther Noble, the man who accused Alphen and Gallagher of murdering Fermoyle. Recently Noble was himself held for the grand jury on a breaking and entering charge. The Blake factory is adjacent to the marsh on which Fermoyle's body was found. The police intimate the possibility of a more serious charge against Noble and Hamilton.

POSTMASTER VAN COTT

DENIES ALL KNOWLEDGE OF PROMOTION SYNDICATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Postmaster Van Cott of the New York postoffice said today in regard to the announcement that the New York postoffice was to be investigated by order of Postmaster General Payne.

"Officially I know nothing of the proposed investigation as yet. Of alleged promotion syndicate, I have no knowledge. Of course if I knew such a syndicate existed here I would do my best to destroy it root and branch."

AT MINNEAPOLIS

NEXT UNIVERSALIST CONVENTION WILL BE HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The general convention of the Universalist church today chose Minneapolis for the meeting in 1905. There was a spirited debate over the status of the general superintendent. The committee on officials reports, headed by Dr. R. Johnnot of Chicago, recommended that he be elective by the board of trustees. Dr. Perkins of Massachusetts offered a substitution, making that official elective by the convention biennially and that he be president of the trustees. The substitute was lost and the committee's recommendation adopted.

There was a discussion over the resolution that the superintendent act as financial agent, but Dr. W. W. Pierce of Franklin, Mass., opposed this resolution, contending that the duties should be solely spiritual. Action of the recommendation was deferred.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

TEACHERS HOLD CONVENTION IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—The first annual convention of the Christian Science Teachers of the United States, which has been in progress at the First Church Christ, scientist, this city, for the past two days, was closed late this afternoon. Most of the teachers in attendance will remain in Boston until tomorrow in order to be present at the testimonial at the mother church.

WILL ORGANIZE

Employers of Labor Will Also Organize

CONVENTION WILL BE HELD IN CHICAGO

By the National Trade Organizations

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 27—Delegates representing a score of national trade organizations will attend a meeting to be held here October 29 and 30 for the purpose of forming a national employers' association to deal with labor problems.

The organization will be as far-reaching it is said, among employers as the American Federation of Labor is among the working classes.

A committee will meet tomorrow to draft a constitution and by-laws for the proposed organization.

The program for the two days' meeting as at present outlined provides for the discussion of the labor question, the establishment of an official organization and the formation of plans for the extension of the organization into every part of the country where employers have to deal with labor unions.

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$20,000 MISSING

Cause of the Armenian Feud

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Hovagin Maroukin, assistant editor of Young Armenia, the Boston organ of the Old Hunt-chask, or Armenian revolutionary party, upon being advised today through the Associated Press of the murder of Sagatel Sagoumi, president of the Armenian Revolutionary society in London, said that he considered the crime due to existing differences between factions of the revolutionary party. In explanation, Mr. Maroukin said that the revolutionary party was founded some years ago for the purpose of securing the freedom of Armenia from Turkish rule, and that in 1902, the party split over the question of socialism. With the separation, Mr. Maroukin said, came the disclosure by old party representatives that $20,000 previously collected for use in freeing Armenia had disappeared.

Immediately, as the organ of the old party, Young Armenia, began calling for an explanation of the disappearance of the money, failing to receive which it considered the claim established that the funds had been criminally diverted from the purpose for which they were collected. This claim, Mr. Maroukin says, angered the other faction which had taken the name of the New Hunt-chask and its adherents displayed a most bitter feeling toward the old party members. Recently the editor said the differences have assumed hostile proportions with the result that two assassinations and two attempts at murder had occurred, the killing of Sagoumi being the latest. The first assassination was of a member of the old party at Cairo, Egypt. The second act of hostility was the attempted assassination of Kurechian in Boston last summer. The third, an attempt to murder a member of the party named Naverbek in Paris about two weeks ago, the fourth, as indicated, the assassination of Sagoumi, president of the old party in London.

Mr. Maroukie expressed no doubt that all these acts were the outgrowth of the claim of the old party that the $20,000 fund had been misappropriated.

THREE DROWNED

MEN WERE RETURNING FROM SHORE LEAVE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The U. S. transport Kilpatrick arrived here today from Havana, by way of Portland, Me., bringing back to this country four companies of coast artillery, the last American troops to leave Cuba. Two companies, the 23d and 24th, were landed at Portland and the 18th and 21st were brought to this city.

Sergeant John Heffner of the 18th company and Jack Rogers, captain's boy of the transport, were drowned in the harbor of Portland Saturday night while returning to the ship from shore leave. The boatman, Fred Stanford of Portland, was also drowned. Quartermaster Sergeant William Hoover and Privates Black, Neal Dayhaw and Frank Bout who were also in the dory when it capsized, were rescued.

Of the two companies of artillery landed here the 18th will go to Fort Schuyler and the 21st to Fort McHenry at Baltimore.

WILL REORGANIZE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A committee of bondholders in the Denver & Southwestern Railway company has issued a plan looking to the reorganization of the company's funded debt in order to arrange for the prompt payment of the semi-annual interest on its general mortgage five per cent. bonds which fall due December 1.

The company was formed in December, 1899, with $2,000,000 of preferred stock, $3,000,000 of common stock and general mortgage of five per cent. bonds to the amount of $5,000,000.

A BITTER FIGHT

Parks' Trial Will be Hard Fought

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The second trial of Samuel Parks, the labor leader, on an extortion charge, was continued before Judge Newburger today.

The care and discretion exercised by both the people and the defense in the examination of talesmen may be taken as an indication of the bitterness of the prospective legal contest over the case.

Parks is charged with taking $500 from Louis Schmidt in connection with the Tiffany Studios.

At the opening of today's session the court room was crowded with spectators and talesmen. None was admitted except those who could show proper credentials. Parks' followers were excluded.

When Judge Newburger took his seat the names of the special jurors for the Parks trial were called. Just then Parks came into court accompanied by a deputy sheriff and as he walked from the door leading from the passage of the "Bridge of Sighs" he scanned nearly every face in the room. Parks' lawyers shook hands with the prisoner, whose face wore an anxious look. He appeared a little more haggard and pale than on yesterday, but his eyes were keen and his jaws firmly set, indicating that he was full of fight as ever.

The examination of talesmen was resumed.

DOWIE'S HOSTS

HAVE VISITED ABOUT 400,000 HOMES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—At an early morning service in Madison Square Garden today, Dowie gave a brief address on "Covetousness," and also spoke about the work done by his followers here, saying that a great many converts had been made and about 400,000 homes visited.

He announced that public baptism would take place in the garden this week but that he had not decided when it should occur.

BARON GEVERS

HAS THREE JOBS FROM WHICH TO SELECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27—The Associated Press is informed by a diplomat who has just returned from Europe that Baron W. A. Gevers, the Netherlands minister to the United States, has been offered the Rome, St. Petersburg or Constantinople missions and that he probably will accept the Italian post, that he may be near his aged mother, who is in Holland.

Baron Givers is absent on leave and official confirmation of the report is as yet unobtainable.

HAYS JURY

DISAGREED AFTER AN ALL NIGHT'S SESSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 27.—After being out all night, the jury in the suit of Major William B. Hays, disagreed and were discharged today. The case will be re-tried.

The charge against the mayor is misdemeanor in the removal of Samuel Moore, a Civil war veteran, from the employment of the city without just cause.

CREW EXHAUSTED

Worked at Pumps for Ten Hours

BRITISH SCHOONER WAS ABANDONED AT SEA

The Boat Encountered Heavy Seas

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Having on board the crew of five men of the British schooner Swanhilda, of Annapolis, N. S., which was abandoned at sea yesterday, 29 miles south by east from Seguine, off the Maine coast, the fishing schooner Fish Hawk arrived in the harbor today. The crew of the Swanhilda, having been working incessantly at the pumps for ten hours, were almost exhausted when the Fish Hawk which happened to tack across their bow, saw the distress signals and hastened to the rescue. Within half an hour, the Swanhilda went to the bottom, carrying all the belongings of the crew.

The rescued men are:

Captain J. W. McNamara, Mate Joseph Anderson, Cook Andrew Faulkner and seamen Ross Graham and Howard Graham.

Captain McNamara stated that the Swanhilda was bound from Edgewater, N. Y., to Windsor, N. S., with a cargo of 200 tons of coal. On Sunday afternoon, on account of the northwesterly gale, the captain ran under Cape Ann intending to make Salem for a harbor. Before reaching there, however, the gale increased in force and when the schooner was reefed she began to leak. The water gained steadily in the vessel's hold and she was gradually sinking when sighted by the Fish Hawk. With great difficulty, on account of the tremendous sea, in half an hour, two men in a boat from the Fish Hawk rescued the crew of the Swanhilda.

On reaching here the crew reported to the British consul who arranged for sending them to their homes in Nova Scotia, on the steamer Prince Arthur today.

The Swanhilda was built at Annapolis, N. S., in 1892, and was re-built six years later. She was of 120 tons net and 136 tons gross. Six months ago the Swanhilda was purchased by Edward D. Thompson of Parrsboro. Her value when lost is estimated at about $4,000 with insurance at two-thirds of this amount. Her cargo of coal was valued at $1100 and is said to have been insured.

REPORT DENIED

THAT WESTERN ROADS WILL REDUCE WAGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Emphatic denial is made here by representatives of several important western railroads to wide circulated rumors that a concerted effort was to be made by the western roads to reduce wages. The opinion was generally expressed that no such plan was under consideration and in some quarters it was said that such a move would not be feasible. Reductions in expenses are being made by the western roads in common with those in other parts of the country, but this is being accomplished in the main by reduction in shop expenses and in construction and improvement work.

STINSON ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH ATTEMPT TO EXTORT $10,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Joseph D. Stinson, said to belong to a wealthy family of York, Pa., and formerly attached to the census bureau in Washington, is under arrest here together with H. B. Gilroy, alleged to be the accomplice of Stinson in an attempt to extort $10,000 from a New York mercantile agency.

The general manager of the concern, in his complaint, alleged that Stinson threatened to sell secret records to rival commercial agencies. Gilroy was arrested in an uptown hotel.

GRUNDMAN IS DEAD

CRAZED BY HIS LOSS CAUSED BY FLOOD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Crazed by the loss of all his possessions in the recent Paterson floods, Frank Grundman, a florist, is dead at a hospital here.

Although he had a trying experience in rescuing his wife from death and then saving himself, it was the destruction of his hot house, in which he had numerous rare plants, and the loss of a flock of Japanese pheasants that shattered his mind. Grundman had spent several years in making the collection.

INSTANTLY KILLED

A CARPENTER WAS WHIRLED AROUND SHAFTING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELLOWS FALLS, Vt., Oct. 27.—While repairing a paper making machine at the International Paper company's mills here today, C. A. Southard, a carpenter, was whirled around the shafting and mangled to death. Death was instantaneous.

Southard belongs in Bristol, N. H., and had been employed by the company only a few weeks. A widow and several children, residing in Bristol, survive him. The body was taken home by the Odd Fellows, of which Southard was a member.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Noon—Money on call steady at 2½; prime mercantile paper 5½ @ 6½.

Exchanges, $190,538,981; Balances, $11,239,564.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Donnelly of High street, are rejoicing over the birth of a twelve pound girl born Saturday.

TRIP POSTPONED

Bryan Will Await Judge Cleaveland's Decision

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 27.—William J. Bryan today said that he had postponed his trip to Europe, he having expected to have sailed from New York tomorrow and would not make any definite plans until after Judge Cleaveland had given his decision in the Bennett will case. He further said that the court had stated that possibly a week would elapse before the decision would be made public.

SAFE BLOWERS

MAKE ANOTHER BIG HAUL NEAR HALIFAX.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 27—The third robbery within a few weeks in the northwestern section of the province occurred early today at Collingwood, a village near Oxford Junction on the Intercolonial railway.

Burglars entered the general store of Charles Braggs and blew open the safe with dynamite, carrying off $1700 in cash. The store was somewhat damaged by the explosion.

There is no clue to the identity of the burglars.

HANGED HIMSELF

NEW BEDFORD MAN SUCCUMBS TO DESPONDENCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 27—John M. McLeod, a well known carpenter and contractor, a resident of Dartmouth, committed suicide last night and was found this morning, by hanging. McLeod has been in ill health for a year or more and during the past three months has suffered considerably. This morning about sunrise Mrs. McLeod looked out the window and saw her husband hanging from the cherry tree by a rope around his neck.

ADMIRAL RAE

REPORTS ON WORK OF STEAM ENGINEERING BUREAU.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The annual report of Rear-Admiral C. W. Rae chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering, for the fiscal year ended June 30, last says:

"The report of the liquid fuel board when published will be of inestimable benefit to the manufacturing, maritime and naval world, and will show the far reaching benefit of careful, conscientious and extended experimental investigation. Neither in extent nor in character have these tests been equalled either at home or abroad and the bureau feels assured that when the results of the experiments are made known that the necessity and advisability of conducting extended investigation in other directions will be made manifest."

The report earnestly requests the detail of junior line officers as assistants to the naval inspectors of material, in order that the training that they would receive may fit them for the important duties of inspectors in charge.

Reviewing the needs of the bureau at the different yards, the following recommendations are made for the yards named:

Portsmouth, N. H., entire set of buildings for the bureau; Boston, power plant; New York several new buildings; League Island, additional tools; Norfolk, auxiliary machine shop; Mare Island, appropriation for remaining buildings proposed for the new plant; Puget Sound, pattern shop, power house and administration building; Key West, new foundry; Pensacola, complete outfit of shops.

The estimated cost for tools and machine plant at Charlestown is given as $250,000.

RUNNING OVERTIME

TIN-PLATE COMPANY HAS RUSH OF BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Oct. 27.—The plant of the McKeesport Tin-plate company has been placed in full operation and every department of the plant is working triple turn. An official states that the company has orders booked to keep the plant in full operation until after the first of the year. The mills at the W. D. Wood plant have also been placed in operation. At the National Tube Works, where several departments were closed last week, work has been resumed.

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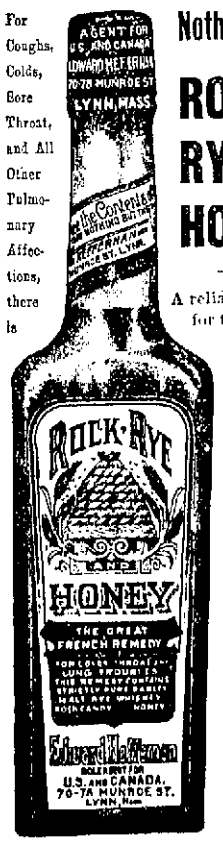

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DRESSER HEARING

Further Testimony in Bankruptcy Case

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The hearing in the bankruptcy proceedings of the firm of Dresser & Co., of which Daniel Leroy Dresser, formerly connected with the United States Ship-building concern was president, was resumed today before a referee. At former hearings four witnesses testified that he had certified blindly that the securities deposited for the benefit of the creditors by promoters of a Staten Island realty company who wanted Mr. Dresser as president, was worth $850,000, whereas at the time of the deposit they knew nothing of the value of the stocks and bonds delivered in a closed package to C. W. Youngman, president of the corporation finance company. Mr. Dresser was the first witness.

After the delivery of the securities to Mr. Youngman, Mr. Dresser said Mr. Youngman told him he was satisfied with the certification of $50,000 of the securities and that the rest was undoubtedly all right. Afterwards M. C. Quinby, chief promoter of the company, gave him a list of the stocks now known to be incorrect.

A number of questions were asked regarding Mr. Dresser's connection with the U. S. Ship-building company and the Trust Company of the Republic, and Mr. Dresser said his failure was due to the loss of $50,000 in the stock of the trust company. His interest in the ship-building affairs was only in connection with the trust company. He said that in November he had received about $50,000 of the common and preferred stock of the ship-building company which he had sold at once for $100,000 and put the money into his business, his credit being curtailed on account of the fall in the trust company's stock from 370 to nothing.

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Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.24, *6.39, x6.45, wx6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.46, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, w8.15, 8.45, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.06, *5.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.24, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, a2.30, a3.55, w5.06, 6.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.24, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.00 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.00 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.00, 1.00, *1.32, 2.40, *5.30, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *1.39 (to Franklin only,) 5.10, *8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *10.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *10.10 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p.m. (daily except Saturdays.

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GREATEST MONEY-MAKER KNOWN—1000 per cent. on investment; no speculation, no risk; straight business. Energetic promoter wanted to form state company. Electric Advertising Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

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WANTED—Good kitchen girl at 131 Lawrence street. Call from 2 to 4 o'clock.

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WANTED—Carriage painters at Goyette's, 286 Thorndike street.

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TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 663 Merrimack street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 414 Broadway.

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TO LET—At 1067 Middlesex street, tenement of seven rooms with all modern improvements, in new house. Apply at Sun office.

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TO LET—Cottage house, recently put in good order, in Batchelder place, off Walker street. Key next door.

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TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $9, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $8.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $3, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 2 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 6 rooms, $9.00. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

Furnished Rooms

Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 201 Middlesex street.

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FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS. We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

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WANTED—Children to board; good home; careful attention. Call 231 Worthen street.

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Having complete line of dry goods and gents' furnishings, fruits, cigars and tobacco, doing a good tea and coffee business; also new soda fountain with fixtures necessary to conduct an A1 store; this store is doing a fine business, but owner is obliged to leave the city and will sell at a price any one will buy. $1900; stock alone will appraise more than that.

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FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 129 Branch street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fast bay pacer, pneumatic tired wagon and Concord wagon. Inquire 222 Moody street.

LADIES, ATTENTION—Big bargains; dress goods, remnants, from the Merrimack Woolen Co. Corner store, Lakeview and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 376 Bridge street.

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FOR SALE—St. Bernard dog; 3 years old; first class watch dog. Inquire 27 West Fourth street.

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FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Ouillet, 31 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

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FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. H. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 16c; 1½ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

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MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Motter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Krueger, chemist, Dept. No. 6, Milwaukee, Wis.

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SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Beaded side bag containing sum of money and other articles between Merrimack square and post office. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Monday night on Merrimack street, a Boston bag containing small sum of money. Finder will please return same to salesman No. 9 at Merrimack Clothing Co. and receive reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, monogram on case, somewhere between Durant and John streets. Reward for return to 117 Durant street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—Pair of glass-cut rosary beads Sunday between St. Joseph's church and Merrimack square. Return to 729 Aiken street. E. S. Demarias.

LOST—$10 bill either on Lawrence street car or on Lawrence street. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

LOST—Lady's black silk belt with fancy colored metal buckle, on Merrimack or East Merrimack street. Suitable reward at The Sun office.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

The Socialist bugaboo will vanish about election day. There is no coal famine this year.

Every business man in the city will sympathize with Mr. Shattuck in his business reverses.

According to the rules of the local division of the street railway there is no excuse for a rear end collision.

J. L. Chalifoux is booming Olney for the presidency in the south. He has made a good selection. Olney is the ablest man yet mentioned for the office.

The committee on public baths have inspected some good models in Boston, but as we learned years ago they are too expensive to be copied by the city of Lowell.

It is a commentary upon the state police regime in Boston that one policeman is held for the grand jury on the charge of murder and another on the charge of assault and attempted robbery.

The Boot and Shoe Workers' union of Lynn, backed by the American Federation of Labor, is in deadly conflict with the Knights of Labor of that city. The enemies of organized labor can afford to look on with equanimity.

A Boston paper seems to express a degree of skepticism in announcing that a certain gentleman of that city has lived to the age of 81 years without using liquor of any kind. The old "soaks" believe such a thing impossible.

The president will again endeavor to force the ratification of the Cuban reciprocity treaty at the extra session of congress to assemble next month. While banks are almost daily going to the wall, the country will expect congress to take some action to restore stability and relieve the money stringency that seems to be causing so much trouble in financial circles.

It remained for a Connecticut lawyer to attack Mr. Bryan's character and attribute to him selfish motives in connection with the probate of a will in which Mr. Bryan was beneficiary and executor. Mr. Bryan, however, stands above fear and above reproach. There is no more noble character in public life in this country today.

Is it not a bit queer with Burchard, yet unforgotten that so many clergymen as soon as they enter a political campaign resort to the tricks of alliteration. In New York, Rev. Dr. McArthur denounces Tammany as "organized greed, graft and grog," while Rev. Dr. Lorimer designates it a combination of loot, lust and lawlessness, all of which affects Tammany about as much as water thrown upon a duck's back.

There need be no particular dread from the location of powder magazines at the proposed site in Billerica if they are constructed on the right plan, if they are put under ground and properly protected. The location of the magazines will injure the surrounding property for building purposes as after the experience at Riverside Park nobody for the next fifty years will want to reside close to such a magazine.

THE GAYETY OF AGED SENATORS.

It is now the fashion for aged senators at Washington to have young wives. Platt at 71 married a widow of forty and left a young lady to sue for breach of promise. Depew, not quite so old, took to himself a young wife, and now Senator Stewart at 76 elopes with a charming widow. There seems to be no scarcity of widows ready to sacrifice themselves in this way where the senator has succeeded in accumulating enough to make it an object to the ambitious young woman.

A PROFITABLE COMPETITION.

A unique competition was brought to a close at the annual meeting of the Village Improvement society of Billerica Monday night. The Talbot mills had offered a variety of prizes for the best kept premises, vines, window and porch boxes, flower gardens, and vegetable gardens. The competition has resulted in the beautification of the houses, premises and gardens not only of the competitors but of many others who though not wishing to bother with the competition, did show a determination not to be outdone by their neighbors in the various improvements mentioned. This is but one of many praiseworthy improvements inaugurated by the Talbot company. They have the interests of the town sincerely at heart. What a different state of affairs would prevail here in Lowell if the owners of our mills lived here and manifested such a keen interest in our city as the Talbot family shows for Billerica!

GASTON FOR REDUCED EXPENDITURES.

Colonel Gaston stands for a reduction of the expensive commissions which have contributed so largely to the extravagance in state expenditures in recent years. He points out very clearly and forcibly how each commission is pulling for more money for its special department and that in this way the aggregate expenditure is driven to excess. To lessen the evil he would consolidate several commissions and thus cut down the salary list and office expenses. Gov. Crane accomplished considerable in this direction but Governor Bates has shown no business capacity sufficient to cope with such important business. His lack of business sagacity was shown in his transactions with Holden and in his appointment of Emmons as police commissioner.

CHANGE OF ADMINISTRATION NEEDED.

Campaign orators may turn the issues over and over, they may twist and distort and chop them up but they cannot put them more plainly before the people than did Richard Olney in his letter to the Massachusetts club when he pointed out the evils that inevitably result from the unbroken tenure of office of one political party for a long number of years. The truth of that is shown by the rottenness of the postoffice department and of the similar condition of the interior department where land grafting has become a fine art. In the state governments the same principle holds goods. Its force is demonstrated in Pennsylvania and in our own state. The republicans have forced up expenses of all kinds and forced grafters into lucrative positions until the taxpayers throughout the state are complaining of the burden. The annual interest bill of $2,800,000 is too much for the state of Massachusetts.

The republicans have been so long in office that they have become reckless and corrupt. It is time to have a change. Give the democrats a chance.

SEEN AND HEARD

The newspaper cuts of Ezekiel M. Ezekiel, democratic candidate for secretary of state, make him look like Major Allen, the milk inspector.

Rev. John B. Delaney, the Lowell boy who has become prominently identified with the Catholic church of New Hampshire, has won new laurels by securing for graduates of the parochial schools admission to the high school without examination. Lowell still holds to the examination.

The North Andover assessors have announced the tax-rate as $14.50 per thousand, which is an increase of $2 per thousand over last year. The value of real estate is $3,175,670 and of personal estate $1,634,610. The number of polls is 1264.

Greenleaf C. Brock, the Centralville druggist, who is treasurer of the Middlesex chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, read an essay at the last meeting of Suffolk chapter in Boston on "John Hancock."

Rev. Edwin Smith of Ballardvale, who was buried yesterday in that town, was the father of Rev. Edwin R. Smith of Farmington, Me., who is about to assume the pastorate of the Pawtucket church, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett of this city announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hattie Belle to Mr. Thomas Adams Remington of Boston. Mr. Barrett is the well-known painter and paper-hanger.

"A mothers' meeting" was held in Boston last week, and the mothers listened to a talk on "A Tramp Abroad," had a tea and indulged in gossip—all of which must have been very useful to the mothers. But too many "tramps abroad" are inimical to home duties, yet perhaps tea and gossip are really essential.

Strange rules are in vogue in Derby, Conn. It costs ten cents to have the contents of a garbage can emptied and carted off. The milk men have a novel method of insuring pay for their milk. Checks are sold to their customers at five cents each and one of these checks must be attached to the milk bottle or can every evening upon retiring, for if there is no check with the milk bottle or can, it is a case of "no checkie, no milkie."

Department stores have troubles of their own.

"I want to get a dog collar," said the customer.

"Yes, sir," replied the clerk, who had recently been transferred from the haberdashery department. "What size shirt do you wear?"

The late Mary P. Rones of Salem, who left thousands of dollars to colleges and other semi-public institutions, was a relative of the late ex-Mayor Dimon.

Says a local merchant: "The Sun is doing good work in its crusade against fast automobile riding. Some of the auto drivers act as if they owned the road exclusively, and any movement to curtail their autocratic ways deserves encouragement. The fast ones are usually non-residents.

Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of the United States, says the stock of gold presents an interesting and important problem. No doubt of it, and the most interesting and important is how to get hold of a portion of the pile.

DR. HALE'S RULES OF LIFE.

Rev. Dr. Edward E. Hale, the oldest living pupil of Boston schools, addressed the pupils of a grammar school in that city, last week, and being asked what his working rules of life were, replied: "Live in the open air all you can; touch elbows; every day speak to your superiors."

EVENING SCHOOLS CRITICIZED.

Observers of the methods employed in the night schools declare that a foreigner can learn and adapt himself to the English language much quicker when taught by teachers that understand their native language; that the methods pursued in the night schools are only applicable to the teaching of children, and are entirely out of scope and inadequate in teaching men and women.

THE TYNGSBORO ROUTE.

The people of Nashua fear that the Boston & Northern road will not connect with the Tyngsboro line this year, as expected. On Dec. 31st next, the franchise runs out, and officials of the company will not state whether or not the road will be built. "This road," says a Nashua man, "would make an ideal electric line to Lowell."

A VERY PECULIAR CALF.

A freak calf, a rare monstrosity, was born to a fine milch cow, that deserved a better fate, at the Meadow Hill farm, in Pelham, a few days ago. The calf was a series of misplaced hoofs, legs, tails and heads. You couldn't tell which was which and the fond mother couldn't throw any light on the subject. Despite the extreme oddness of her offspring she cared for it tenderly. The calf was killed in order that the cow might be saved. Its sojourn in this world was brief and as no special request, relative to the disposition of the body, was made, it was turned over to a physician who will stuff the corpse and send it to a museum. A great many persons viewed the calf, in death, and one woman pronounced it a "comedy of errors." It weighed about 75 pounds and had two perfectly formed heads. A leg with the usual hoof attachment projected from between the heads and at the other end of the body were two tails and an assortment of legs. The Pelhamites thought it a wonderful thing when one day an old resident walked into town with an odorless skunk but the freak calf has the odorless skunk beaten a mile or more.

HUNTINGTON HALL REMINISCENCE.

Who in Lowell recalls when the floor in Huntington hall sank and a catastrophe was narrowly averted? It was on the evening of Oct. 28, 1856. That great lawyer, Rufus Choate, a Whig all his life, decided to vote for Buchanan, and his one and only speech of the campaign was made in Lowell. Huntington hall was packed. Gen. Butler presided, and had hardly begun to make a preliminary address when a dull, heavy sound like a distant cannon was heard—the floor was yielding. The audience became frightened, but were assured of safety. Mr. Choate began and proceeded for nearly half an hour, when again the ominous sound was heard, and the floor was felt sinking as before. Mr. Choate paused, and the fears of the crowd were again quieted by Gen. Butler's assurance that he would go and ascertain the condition of things and report. He went and to his horror found that several of the rods by which the floor was sustained had drawn through the timbers, that the ceiling below in the depot was opening and that the slightest jar was likely to collapse the whole building. Comprehending the peril, Gen. Butler made his way to the platform, and calmly advised the audience that while there was no immediate danger, it would be best to quietly leave the hall. "This is the place of greatest danger," he said, "and I shall stand here till all have gone out." Not till all were safe did they comprehend how near to a catastrophe they had been, to which that of the Pemberton mill might have been a mercy.

STERN HELD

TO AWAIT ACTION OF GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The preliminary hearing in the case of Leopold J. Stern of Baltimore, indicted for complicity in the postal frauds, was concluded in the police court yesterday and Stern was held in $500 bail to await the action of the grand jury which was furnished and he was released.

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Cure kidney ills before too late.

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The Norfolk suit prices here range from $2 to $9.

Putnam & Son Co.

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SOME CYCLE NEWS

Rain Affected Racing During Past Season

AND BIG MOTORS INJURED THE TRACKS

Salt Lake's Success Arouses the West

While these large pacing machines used this year have proven safe and reliable, with not a serious accident since May 30 to their discredit, there is one argument against their continued use that cannot be refuted. They have played havoc with many tracks, and confined cycle racing to the Eastern New England district—that is, paced racing. They are too heavy for some tracks and too fast for others.

Some of the old time tracks, upon which records have been broken, have been entirely out of the question for the new pace. During the last month the old Baltimore track was condemned by the building inspectors. The fast Washington track is a thing to be avoided under the present racing conditions. Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Springfield have been abandoned this year, and Pittsburg, Dayton and Springfield (the two latter in Ohio) have been too far from the centre of activity of paced racing. This has confined racing back of pace to Boston, where it thrives and has its home. But in the Boston district many tracks have suffered through the big motors. Many surfaces must be rebuilt for next season, as the large 500-pound machines have thumped the very underpinning from under them and split surfaces into kindling wood. Today but one track thoroughly suitable for the big motors is available, and that track is Charles River Park.

Whether other tracks will be constructed remains to be seen.

Owing to the weather conditions this year most of the tracks lost money. Some were heavy losers, and few more than broke even. In June and August there were thirty-five rainy days. With such conditions existing, money making was entirely out of the question. The outlook, therefore, for track-building is not very bright.

During the past year three new tracks were constructed. While none made money, the outlook for at least two of these new tracks is promising. Charles River park and Lowell will be money-makers. The latter, although new, will have to be reconstructed, as the big motors have already weakened the supports, causing the track to sway badly while the big motors are going around.

In one city, however, cycle racing has proved an unqualified success. The Salt Lake City (Utah) track has again coined money. Salt Lake's success has resulted in a general feeling of confidence all through the west. This has resulted in applications being made for franchises for Denver, Pueblo and Ogden. These three cities, and Salt Lake City promise to form the nucleus of a prosperous western circuit which will draw largely from eastern territory next year, as it has done this year.

Track building and cycle racing in Salt Lake City was inaugurated four years ago, largely on bluff, which won. The Salt palace management was asked to build a track. They wanted some guarantee of attendance. Cycle enthusiasts easily secured thousands of signatures of people who promised to attend the races. The construction of the track followed, and apparently all who signed those papers did so with every intention of keeping the promise. Races were run once weekly, then twice, and finally thrice, yet the crowds came. Nor was the second year less successful and the third saw no chopping away in the interest. During the season just ended two meets weekly have been promoted with success. Salt Lake has seen good racing, and seen racing as advertised. The promoters have kept faith with the people.

MRS. RICHARDS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Harriet Alice Richards, state regent for Wyoming of the Daughters of the American revolution, and wife of the commissioner of the general land office, died here last night of heart trouble. She was 48 years old and left three daughters. She was a descendant of that branch of the Hunt family who served as Minutemen at Lexington, and assisted in building Concord, Mass.

REV. ROBERT HASKINS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 28.—A special from Gardner says:

Word has been received from Coonoore, India, of the death there of Rev. Robert Haskins, a missionary of the Methodist church in India, who has labored in that field since 1868. He was widely known throughout the New England conference.

STEAMSHIP SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 28.—A special from Beaufort, N. C., says:

The steamship City of Everetts, from Pensacola, Fla., bound north, for which so much anxiety has been felt, has arrived at Cape Lookout light for harbor, with her machinery slightly damaged.

ANNUAL MEETING

All Probation Officers in Massachusetts

WILL MEET AT THE STATE HOUSE TODAY

Probation System is a Good Thing

All the probation officers in Massachusetts will meet at the state house today. The conference was called by the prison commissioners and a member of that body will preside at the meeting. The probation officers met last year for the first time. The object of the conference is to further the acquaintance of the officers and also to increase the benefit of the probation system by exchange of ideas and general discussion.

Probation Officer Slattery of this city will attend the conference and will undoubtedly carry with him a few good suggestions as his work during the three and one-half years that he has held the office has been most beneficial to all concerned.

Mr. Slattery has about 200 probationists under his care at the present time and his Saturday visitors number anywhere from 50 to 100. In reply to a Sun reporter's question yesterday, Mr. Slattery said that with very few exceptions the probationists report faithfully. This is particularly true in the case of small boys who have been before the court for larceny. Judge Hadley is disposed, instead of imposing a fine, to give the boys a chance with Mr. Slattery and the success of the judge's plan is evidenced by the fact that a juvenile probationist rarely finds his way back to the police court. To impose a fine would mean, in the majority of cases, embarrassment to parents and the probation officer, by keeping after the boys, not only influences them to avoid a repetition of former offences, but he also helps them in other ways.

The work of the probation officer, however, is not confined solely to the care of probationists. It is not generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that a great many complaints that are entered are never aired in court. If the complaint has to do with a disruption in a family, Judge Hadley instructs the probation officer to seek out the parties that are at auger ends and Mr. Slattery is generally very successful in bringing about a reconciliation, thus sparing parties the humility and disgrace of a police court trial, that they, in their angry moments, would precipitate. The probation system is a good thing in many ways.

COLLIERIES CLOSED

ELEVEN PLANTS DECIDED TO SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The eleven collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company in the Shamokin district, employing about 7000 men and boys, shut down last night and will remain closed until the day after election. The remaining collieries of the Reading company, all the mines of the Lehigh Valley Coal company, the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and some of the operations of the other companies will close today for a week. More than 60,000 men and boys are affected by the shut down. The action of the companies in suspending operations is due to the fact that two holidays fall within the next week, Mitchell day (October 29), and election day.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The two last performances of Hal Reid's "A Homespun Heart," will be given this afternoon and evening at the Academy of Music. This homely drama has proved to be a grand drawing card and is well worth the patronage of the theatre-going people of this city.

Friday night Al. Reeves and his big burlesque company will open a two nights' engagement with a matinee Saturday afternoon. The company is playing at Ottawa tonight and will be unable to reach Lowell until Friday evening. The company is a good one and some marvellous vaudeville acts are included. Two new burlettas will be introduced entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon," and "A Merry Go Round." The banjo king, Al. Reeves, is equipped with all new songs and funny sayings which have been written expressly for him. Other turns include Andy Lewis and company in "The Tout," the Tossing Austens, Devine and Williams, the marvellous Van der Koor, the Newell sisters, Katherine Dahl and Fannie Thatcher.

COMEDY BILL AT THE CASTO.

The current program at the Casto is a most pleasing one and the large audiences manifest their appreciation by hearty applause throughout the performance. The act of Ferrar, Cole & Company, entitled "His College Chum," is a very clever idea, and the lines are exceedingly witty and the situations most laughable. Frank Fogerty is an Irish comedian of the highest order and his stories are entirely new. The Marvelous Merrills in their astounding bicycle act, Rosaire and Taft in a side-splitting comedy acrobatic act, and the Big Three Minstrels are only a part of an excellent program.

WON BY JENKINS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 28.—The wrestling match for the championship of the world, which took place at Old City Hall, this city, last night, between Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, O., and Dan McLeod of Canada, was won by Jenkins, he taking first and third falls.

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IN STRAIGHT HEATS

Argue Took 2.30 Pace at Nashua

PLENTY OF EXCITEMENT IN 2.25 TROT

Two Races Put Over Until Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 28.—The closing meet of the New England half mile circuit opened yesterday under conditions favorable neither to the horses nor to the large crowd that had been attracted to the track. Owing to the large number of entries in the 2.25 trot only one race of the three on the card was concluded. The large field in this trot furnished several hair-raising accidents which served in a way to counteract the chill in the atmosphere. Argue, though starting in a race for the first time was picked for the 2.30 pace and vindicated the judgment of the talent by winning in straight heats. Pearl Wilkes gave Argue a good battle in the third heat.

Pearl T. was a favorite in the 2.16 pace. Billy Hurd, however, took the first two heats handily. Pearl T. warmed up in the third and won the heat in a close finish. The race then went over until today. Colburn was scoring Murth in the first heat of the 2.25 trot when the sulky broke down and he was thrown. This heat went to Baron Patch, the favorite. In the second heat Essex Maid reared as the word was given and threw Driver O'Neill. This accident frightened Claret who whirled about, upset her sulky, throwing the driver to the ground, and then started around the track the wrong way. Baron Patch led the horses remaining in the race up to the last turn. As he turned into the stretch his sulky lost a wheel and he was distanced. The judges, however, awarded him third place. The heat went to Yates. Baron Patch took the next heat after which the race went over.

Summary:

2.30 PACE.

Purse $300.

Argue, bg, by Argood Wilkes (Cox)	1	1	1
Pearl Wilkes, bm (Martin)	3	3	2
Billy Bailey, bg (Kesvitch)	2	4	4
Ira Prandt, Jr., bg (Rathbun)	6	2	6
Needles, bg (Reynolds)	4	5	3
Grey Bess, em (Lovett)	5	6	5
Walter C., bg (Morse)	7	dis	

Time, 2.25¼, 2.20¼, 2.24¼.

2.16 PACE. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Billy Hurd, blk g (Gordon)	1	1	2
Pearl T., bm (Sunderlin)	5	3	1
Willon B., bm (Lewis)	4	2	3
Miss Ormand, blk m (Watt)	2	5	4
Pat L., ch g (Payne)	3	4	6
Star Boy, bg (Bowser)	6	6	5

Time, 2.20, 2.10¾, 2.19¾.

2.25 TROT. (Unfinished.)

Purse $500.

Baron Patch, bs, by Baron Posey (Yapp)	1	13	1
Yates, bm (Ralston)	2	7	5
Bert S., bg (Burnham)	6	2	3
Murch, bm (Colburn and Payne)	9	3	2
Essex Maid, ch m (O'Neill)	3	11	13
Lassie, blk m (Kingsley)	5	5	4
George H., bg (Cook)	10	4	6
Daly Moore, blk m (Cox)	4	6	11
Little Jack, bg (Yates)	8	10	7
Nicko, blk h (Pickles)	7	12	8
Rob Roy, bg (Edwards)	13	7	12
Bolden, bm (Young)	12	8	9
Claret, bm (Garrison)	11	9	10

Time, 2.24¼, 2.24½, 2.23¾.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28—The condition of William L. Elkins, the financier last night was considered critical. Hope for his recovery has about been abandoned by the family.

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HARVEST FESTIVAL

By the C. Y. M. L. at Huntington Hall

JOSEPH GILLEY, Floor Director

The Event One of Great Pleasure for all Who Attended—List of the Tables and Committees

A harvest festival was held at Huntington hall last night under the auspices of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's parish and like other affairs conducted by this popular organization it proved to be a grand success both from a social and a financial standpoint. It was one of the leading social functions of the season and over 1500 people were in attendance during the evening. Of this number the majority remained to listen to the strains of the waltz home shortly after midnight. It was a continual round of pleasure from the opening event, and without doubt it was an occasion long to be remembered by those who attended.

During the early part of the evening a concert was given by the Bingville band, an organization composed of some of the best musicians in the city, who appeared in the garb of a country organization. So perfect were the disguises of the different members of the band that it is doubtful if one was recognized. The band responded to many encores until shortly after nine o'clock when dancing was started and continued until shortly after midnight.

There were four prettily decorated tables in the corners of the hall, the seasons of the year being represented. The Spring table was decorated with green, while green and white were the prevailing colors of the Summer table. Yellow, red and white dominated on the Autumn table while snowy white represented the Winter table. These tables were attended by bevies of hustling young ladies, and all of the tables did a rushing business.

The officers and assistants on the different tables were as follows:

Winter Table—Henry F. Doran, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Maloney, matron; Dennis J. Devine, assistant chairman; Charles Walsh, secretary; Timothy Rohan, treasurer; and the following assistants: Mrs. Henry F. Doran, Mrs. Dennis J. Devine, Mrs. Edward J. Carroll, Mrs. William Tighe, Mrs. James E. Henry, Mrs. D. S. O'Brien, Mrs. John F. Saunders, Mrs. Jas. H. Kelley, Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, Miss Catherine Rohan, Miss Annie Tighe, Miss Mary Rohan, Miss Frances Tighe, Miss Helen Leary, Miss Maggie Kelley, Miss Mamie Quinn, Miss Margaret Garrigan, Miss Nellie Counihan, Miss Hattie Garrigan, Miss Lizzie Murphy, Miss Mary Crowe, Miss Mamie Burns, Miss Mary Maguire, Miss Mamie Powers, Miss Tessie Slattery, Miss Agnes Sherry, Miss Lizzie Sullivan, Miss Katie Maguire, Miss Susie V. Ball, Miss Lizzie Quigley, Miss Mary McQuade, Miss Annie Courtney, Miss Mabel Stack, Miss Mary R. Marren, Miss Katie Keefe, Miss Maggie Marren, Miss Lizzie Doran, Miss Alice Tighe, Miss Nora Murphy, Miss Agnes Tighe, Miss Etta Tighe, John Kelty, Joseph Keyes, Connie Donovan, John Fitzgerald, James Kelty, Edward J. Carroll, Humphrey Coffey, James Coughlin, John J. Hanlon, Thomas Maloney, Thomas Lee, Daniel S. O'Brien, John F. Leary, James T. Henry, John F. Murphy, John J. Flynn, William Murphy, Miss Mamie Stack, Miss Nora Woods, Miss Josie Rohan, Miss Lulu Slattery, John Maher.

Spring Table—John H. Hogan, chairman; William A. Barry, treasurer; John Keegan, secretary; Mrs. John J. McNabb, matron; and the following assistants: Mrs. Smith J. Adams, Mrs. Annie Coffey, Mrs. W. J. Maguire, Mrs. Jennie Redicker, Mrs. Laverty, Mrs. F. A. M. Tobin, Misses Katie Murphy, Annie Mayotte, May McOsker, May Maguire, Kittie Holland, Mary V. Allen, Lizzie Connell, Louise Guiney, Mamie Mahon, Mary Rogers, Mary A. Murphy, Nellie O'Brien, Mary Howe, Gertie Cox, May Duffy, Sadie Higgins, Mamie McAdams, Julia Sullivan, Annie Maguire, Stasia Murray, Alice Dean, Julia Dean, Anna Doyle, Julia Allen, Jennie McLaughlin, May Carr, Alice Mulligan, Annie Gill, Katie Reardon, Katie Gill, Mamie Gallagher, Maggie Reardon, Annie Donohue, Alice Adie, Margaret Ward, Helen Leahey, Margaret Spellman, Josephine Dunlavey, Theresa Reilly, Nellie Hart, Lilla Welsh, May Flynn, Lillian Hebert, Gertie Smith, Nellie Hayes, Sadie Orr, Katie Lyons, Lizzie McVey, Lucy Jones, May F. Lynch, Jennie R. Joyce, Anna T. Coffey, Martha Curtin, May Cummings, Mahon, Julia Tabor, Josie Boyle, Cora McGovern, Maggie Myron, Mary Keefe, Nellie O'Neil, Abbie Murphy, Loretta Mirault, Lillian O'Brien, Gertrude Marley, Mary Govern.

Spring Table—Misses Mary Ward, Lillian Roy, Jennie Maguire, Minnie McCary, Marietta McGrath, Laura Lassard, Margaret McGlynn, Loretta Ward, Katherine O'Brien, Genevieve Smith, Josephine Ward, Agnes McAloon, Florence Crotty, Esther McOsker, Alice Riley, Anna Garvey, Helen Wholey, Alice Faneuf, Mary Callahan, Lulu Hart, May Cassidy, Lydia Cushing, Kittie Sullivan, Annie Rooney, Mabel McCarthy, Alice McNabb, Annie

J. H. MURPHY, General Manager.

McGuane, Sadie Hart, Lena Smith, Kittie Dean, Mamie Kelly, Anna Tighe, Katie Tighe, Maggie Becky, Rev. Timothy Callahan, William Scannell, John Holloran, Herbert Daly, Philip Rogers, John Doyle, John Kennedy, John H. Murphy, Joseph Tobin, Chas. Doyle, Thomas Rafter, Eugene Dean, Edward Donohoe, Thomas Hanifin, Maurice H. Powers, Thomas Mahoney, Thomas Mulligan, Frank Sullivan, John Broadley, Patrick Murphy, John McCarthy, Alfred McDermott, John Adams, John Cadden, Joseph Cronan, Smith J. Adams, Patrick Curran, Louis Coffel, Thomas Wallace, Albert Lavo, Edward McCarthy, Frank McNabb, James Doyle, Michael Adams, Alexander Cryan, John J. McNabb, William Wholey, Charles Maloney, Cornelius Brosnan, Daniel Quinn, John Minehan, Edward Turner, Miss Etta Callahan.

Summer Table—John J. O'Connor, chairman; Rev. John J. McHugh, assistant; William H. Giblin, secretary; T. Harry Flaherty, treasurer; Mrs. Katherine Gilligan, matron, and the following assistants: Mrs. John J. O'Connor, Mrs. Josephine Baly, Misses Belle McCarthy, May Gilligan, Katherine Mealy, Gertrude Lyons, Julia Whelly, Margaret Hennessy, Margaret Riley, Louise Flaherty, Annie Redlem, Rose Lee, Katie Kane, Norah Farrell, Mary E. Cronin, Etta Keefe, Josie Keefe, Lizzie Keefe, Etta Myers, Etta Reed, Margaret Shalvey, Alice Bagley, Nellie Sullivan, Kittie McKeon, Louise M. Andrews, Grace Mealy, Ethel E. Crafts, Mamie Shalvey, Katherine Teague, Anna Barrett, Jennie Nadeau, Messrs. Jos. Gilley, Michael Flemings, Jos. O'Rourke, John Killeen, Edward Donoghue, Frederick Bean, Eugene Queenan, Misses Rose Gosselin, Mamie Sheehan, Maggie McLaughlin, Peter Manion, Warren Reardon, Walter Flynn.

Autumn Table—William J. Enright, chairman; John Minahan, assistant; Frederick Martin, secretary; John J. Carroll, treasurer; Miss Belle Donohue, matron; Misses Mary Doyle, Katie Donoghue, Maud Brown, Annie O'Donohue, assistant matrons, and the following assistants: Misses Katie Sullivan, Etta Flynn, Sadie Healey, Zephrine Pollard, Lena Sturgeon, Jennie Duntey, Bessie McAloon, Marguerite Higgins, Nellie Lealiey, Donnelly, Downs, Delaney, Sadie Malone, May Morrissey, O'Keefe, Sadie O'Brien, Lena Comerford, Madeline Leary, Kane, Katie O'Neil, Amelia Larcombe, Anna Conolaghan, Della Nestor, Rose Hamel, Emma Lynch, Elizabeth Delaney, Kittie Donohue, May Kelley, Alice Walsh, Marie McLaughlin, Mollie O'Brien, Etta Pollard, Maggie Myers, May Gill, Nora Fahey, Nellie Meehan, Belle Chisholm, Messrs. S. Konsky, C. Sheehan, George Lynch, William Scanlon, Daniel Gleason, Thomas McGrath, Peter Benn, William Burke, John Lynch, John Kelley, John Riley, Albert Patterson, Timothy Quinn, Terrence Quinn, Joseph Farmer, Henry Reardon, Daniel Leahy, James Brown, William Sullivan, James McLaughlin.

The success of the party was due to the zealous and untiring work of the following officers:—

John H. Murphy, general manager; John M. Hogan, assistant; Joseph F. Gilley, floor director; George F. Lynch, assistant; Joseph L. Cronin, chief aid; and the following aids: John J. Keegan, William A. Barry, Herbert Daly, William Wholey, John J. Doyle, John C. Martin, Cornelius Cronan, William T. Meloy, William Enright, Maurice H. Powers, William H. Giblin, Thomas J. Wallace, J. Harry Flaherty, James Rourke, Thomas B. Rafter, Edward A. Donoghue, Eugene Queenan, John J. Walker, Thomas Donahoe, John J. Carroll, John J. Lonergan, Chas. E. Walsh, Jeremiah A. Daly, Cornelius Brosnahan.

The reception committee was as follows:—

John H. Murphy, chairman; William Callaghan, Dr. P. E. Sullivan, Smith J. Adams, Daniel S. O'Brien, Simon Reilly, John J. McNabb, John J. Killeen, Daniel Lahey, Daniel Quinn, Thomas Maloney, James Hennessey, Henry F. Doran, John F. Bradley, Dennis J. Devine, John Kennedy, Dr. James Gaffney, Wm. Scannell, Michael O'Donoghue, John Leary, Thomas Lee, John Flynn, Charles Doyle, John Monahan, Jos. Keyes, Dr. T. B. Smith, Frederick Martin, Edward J. Carroll, Timothy Rohan, James T. Henry, Humphrey Coffey, Thomas J. Enright, Esq., Frank McCarty, Dr. James E. Leary, John P. Curley, James J. Doyle, John J. Donovan, Thomas A. Mulligan, F. A. M. Tobin, Harry Timmons, Cornelius Donovan, Peter H. Savage, John J. Hanlon, Robert J. Crowley, James Rafter, Dennis J. Ring, Thomas O'Donnell, Frank E. McNabb, Richard Donahoe, John J. Sullivan, Edward J. O'Donnell, Jas. E. O'Donnell, Esq., John Maher, John J. O'Connor.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty October wedding was solemnized last evening at the Kirk street church. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank Hancock Putnam, son of Hon. George E. Putnam and Miss Ethel Lyman, daughter of Edward Lyman.

Rev. George E. Martin, D. D., tied the nuptial knot. The ceremony was witnessed by a large and fashionable gathering and was preceded by organ selections by the church organist, Mr. Arthur Spalding.

The bride wore a gown of crepe de chine, with tulle veil and carried lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Marion Arnold of Providence and Miss Katrine Jennotte of Lowell. They wore dresses of white silk muslin with short tulle veils and carried pink roses. The bride was given away, at the altar by her father. Miss Charlotte Cheney of Lowell, was the maid of honor. She wore pink chiffon over pink silk and carried carnations of a like shade. Mr. Donald McKenzie was the best man.

Mr. Arthur Lyman of New Haven, a brother of the bride, was chief usher, and his aids were Messrs. Charles Munyan, of Providence, R. I., William Ellis of Boston, James Leighton and Edward Lanson of Lowell. The groom's gift to his bride was a diamond ring and the gifts of friends were numerous and elegant.

Mr and Mrs. Putnam entertained the bridal party only directly after the ceremony. The church decorations of autumn foliage, palms and white chrysanthemums were very beautiful. The house was also prettily decorated, green and white being the prevailing tones.

The American orchestra furnished music at the house, 431 Wilder street. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam left the city by a late evening train, and will receive their friends January 6, 1904, at 214 Stevens street.

LEVIN—COHEN.

Mr. Samuel Levin of Lawrence and Miss Gertrude Cohen of this city were married last evening at Highland hall. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H Glaser of the New Jerusalem Synagogue of Boston.

The groom was attended by Frank Labell of Lawrence and Benjamin Cohen of Boston. The bride was unattended. She wore white silk with white lace trimmings. After the ceremony the young couple received the congratulations of their numerous friends. Later the grand march was started, Mr. and Mrs. Levin leading.

A wedding supper was served. Music was furnished by Wyman's orchestra of Boston.

A number of friends were present from Lawrence, Boston Lynn, Haverhill, Salem, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

RYAN—McCORD.

Mr. Arnold J. Ryan and Miss Annie E. McCord, both of this city, were married yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. Martin of the Kirk street church.

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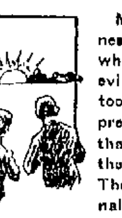

Men prefer darkness rather than light when their deeds are evil. Men and women, too, for that matter, prefer light rather than darkness when their deeds are good. The Sun is the journalistic light for the people of Lowell. Merchants should seek the light if they would be seen; in other words, if they want the best they must advertise in the columns of The Sun, which is read by all the people, and is universally conceded to be Lowell's brightest and greatest newspaper.

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CONVICTED OF MURDER

JOHN KENNEDY WRECKED A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SLAUTON, Va., Oct. 28.—In the Augusta court here yesterday John Kennedy, alias Crawford, charged with wrecking a Norfolk and Western passenger train near Greenville, Va., last December, and with the murder of Engineer Bailey of Roanoke, who lost his life in the wreck, was convicted of murder in the first degree, the jury being out five minutes. Sentence will be closed at a later day in the term. Kennedy's accomplice, James Bailey, will be tried today and the trial of Mrs. Bailey, the aged mother of James Bailey, whom Kennedy claims planned the wreck, will occur next.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was the usual large attendance of members at the meeting of the Elks at Elks' hall last evening. Much routine business was transacted. The committee on memorial services made a report of progress. The lodge members were favored with the presence of two members of the order who are playing at the Casto Theatre—Bros. J. M. Norcross and Frank Fogerty, also Walter J. Meakin, during the evening. Songs and recitations were given and much enjoyed. The Elks' quartet was present and their college songs were encored. Bro. D. D. Driscoll sang "America."

The Elks' night at Casto Theatre is on Friday night, October 30.

Lowell Council, Knights of Columbus, are preparing for a smoke talk to be held at the council rooms Wednesday, November 4. Congressman W. S. McNary of Boston will be orator of the evening. Hon. J. E. Drury will preside and Hon. P. J. Brady will be chairman of the reception committee. A musical program is being arranged and in addition to this, there will be a hand ball match between teams representing the Knights of Columbus and some other local organization.

Garfield Colony, U. O. P. F., held its regular meeting last evening. A short musical program followed the business session. This colony is to hold a series of whist parties, the first to be November 7.

The regular meeting of Cercle d'Youville, Companions of the Forest, was held last evening in old Odd Fellows' hall. In the absence of Chief Ranger M. F. Caron, Sub Chief Ranger Cordelia Guertin presided. Routine business was transacted, after which one new member was initiated and two new propositions were received.

The regular meeting of Oberlin lodge was held last night and a new candidate was initiated. A discussion took place relative to the arrangements which have been under way in preparation for the reception to the grand officers. A collation will be served and all of the lodges have been given an invitation to be present. The following committee on entertainment was appointed at last night's meeting: Amos Kendall, William F. Stewart, J. R. Peabody, G. O. Hubbard, C. E. Farrington and all of the past grands of the lodge.

The annual visitation of Puritan Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held last night in Odd Fellows' Temple in Middlesex street. The event was attended by many members of the order. Previous to the initiation of several new members a dinner was served in the hall on the top floor. Among the many out-of-town guests present were the following: Sister Annie E Blodgett, P. M., of Orient Chapter, No. 31, the Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts; Deputy Grand Marshal, Sister Emma F. Goodell, also P. M., of Orient Chapter of South Framingham; William Alden Blossom, past matron of Kingston Chapter, No. 18, of Boston; and others from Winter Harbor, Me., Stoneham, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua, Boston, Medford, Chelsea, Reading, Wilmington.

Among the present officers of the chapter are Mrs. Inez J. Whiting, N. M.; Samuel W. Kilpatrick, W. P.; Mrs. Mary McDonald, A. M.; Mrs. S. W. Kilpatrick, C.; Mrs. M. Shirley, treasurer and Mr. Frank Gray, secretary; all of whom have done very good work during the past year.

The supper was in charge of Sister Helen J. Talbot.

SISTER MARY STANISLAUS

WELL KNOWN NUN PASSED AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 28.—Sister Mary Stanislaus, for over 53 years connected with the St. Francis Xavier order of the Providence diocese of the Roman Catholic church, died at the head house of the sisterhood here yesterday, aged about 70 years.

She was at one time a teacher in Woonsocket, after which she was superior in the houses at Pawtucket, Newport, Fall River and New Bedford. Sister Mary Stanislaus was formerly Miss Splain, and was a native of Binghampton, N. Y.

PATRICK FOILED

In His Attempt to Get the Rice Millions

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28—The court of appeals yesterday placed a final negative upon the attempts of Albert T. Patrick to obtain the vast fortune of the deceased millionaire, William M. Rice, for whose murder he was under sentence of death in Sing Sing prison.

The court yesterday handed down a decision affirming that of the lower courts which threw out as a transparent for the alleged will of Mr. Rice which Patrick urged as superseding that admitted to probate by Surrogate Fitzgerald.

The will of Mr. Rice, thus sustained, makes no mention of Patrick, the bulk of the great estate, estimated at four millions or more, being bequeathed to the proposed "William M. Rice Institute for the advancement of literature, science and art," of Houston, Texas.

The will presented and urged in this appeal by Patrick left comparatively small bequests to the Rice Institute, and the bulk of the estate to Patrick.

The next stage in the extraordinary case will be the argument of Patrick's appeal from the conviction of murder in the first degree and the consequent sentence of death. Should the court set aside the sentence, there are indictments for forgery of this will and perjury in connection therewith, which are yet untried.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

SWEPT OVER SEVERAL BLOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—20 houses, including stores and private residences, were destroyed last night in a fire that swept over two city blocks in Kings bridge, at the upper end of Manhattan Island.

The section swept by the fire was the business section of the old village of Kings Bridge, composed of detachable frame structures that burned readily. The Kings Bridge hotel formerly a famous road house, was destroyed, the proprietor and his family barely escaping with their lives. The total property damage was about $150,000.

NEW FRENCH CLUB.

A movement is on foot among French-American residents of Centralville to form a club among the young men in the locality and a meeting was held last night at the residence of Eli Delisle in Hildreth street. Arthur Belisle, a son of Jacques Boisvert, and their friends, Ernest Mailly and Frank Monette are at the head of the movement. The club will be formed for social and sporting purposes and its charter members will number 30. It will be known as the Hildreth club.

The young men have rented a club house in Aiken avenue and the formal opening will take place Nov. 6, when the opening will be marked by a social card party.

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SEVEN ARE DEAD

Passenger Train Ran Into Work Train

By Associated Press to The Sun

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 28—Word reached this city last night that the second section of an east-bound overland passenger train had run into a work train at Palisade, Nev., on the Central Pacific, and that seven section men were killed and several passengers injured. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train were also injured.

JACK JOHNSON WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 28—Jack Johnson got the decision over McVey at the end of twenty rounds here last night.

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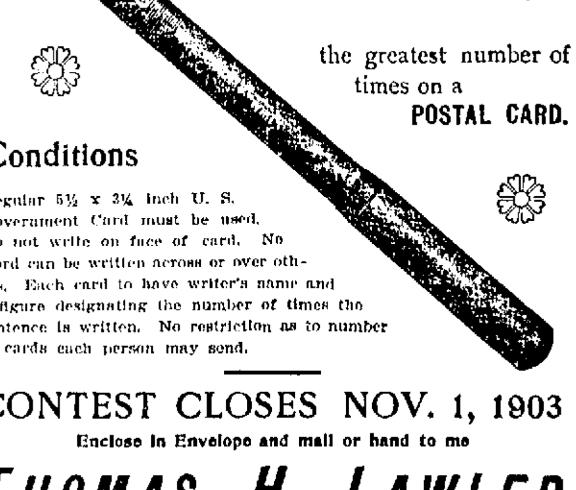

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KATE CLYDE

Defends the Brunette Woman From Her Long Time Calumniators---She Also Speaks of the Necessity of Putting the Best Foot Forward

DOES coloring affect the disposition? Are there certain blond and certain brunette characteristics? Well, why not? If a lack of certain matter in a certain spot in the brain produces eccentricity or loss of memory, why should not such a distinct and remarkable thing as coloring matter have effect?

There are certain characteristics which are possessed by nearly all brunettes and others which are possessed by blonds as a class. For instance, there never was a black haired woman who did not have the courage of her convictions, who did not think for herself and with obstinacy cling to her own conclusion, even though it were a wrong one, until she herself was convinced it was a wrong one. Now, I don't know whether this is admirable, but one thing is certain—any girl who can hold her own opinion or sustain a certain line of conduct in spite of the opinion of other people has within her the possibility of being original, and that is something rather rare and precious in womankind. Of course I don't say for one minute that brunettes are the only ones who are original, but this is true of them as a class—they are not easily led.

Admirers dangling at her heels.

Blonds Are Adaptable.

Blonds, on the other hand, are far more adaptable. They are naturally more gentle and therefore less averse to adopting other people's views and opinions. They learn easily and are more obedient to authority. A brunette may or may not learn easily, but one thing is sure—once an idea has entered her head she hangs on to it with a persistency which is sometimes awkward. This quality she carries even into her love affairs.

Study your history and you will see that the blond women, as a rule, were pleasure loving and luxurious; that they held court with their throngs of admirers dangling at their heels; that they smiled sweetly on some and sent others of whom they tired to death. But you will scarcely find one blond woman in all the pages who suffered for love, and none who struggled madly for it, who gave up all in life and even died for it, as did the black and red haired women.

An explosion of wrath.

The Vilified Brunette.

This may sound like a defense of brunettes. Well, yes, it is, for to the brunettes have been ascribed all sorts of fiendish characteristics, while the blonds have been idealized in saints' garb from the beginning of the world.

But here is the truth of the matter: The brunette is nearer in her nature to a man. She is anything in the world but narrow minded and petty. It is the blond who whines and nags; it is the brunette who silently endures until all of a sudden there is an explosion of wrath—and the deluge. It is hard to find an ungenerous brunette, but it is not at all hard to find countless selfish blonds. Luxury and comfort mean more to a blond woman than anything in this world, and nine times in ten she marries for material reasons and not for love. A blond will love one day and forget the next and love again on the third day, but a brunette never forgets either her love or her hate. When a brunette wants a thing she wants it and is going to have it even if she has to break through stone walls to reach it. A blond can be persuaded that she doesn't want it. The sins of the blond are petty; the sins of the brunette are never that.

The Brunette Commands.

Take two girls together, a blond and a brunette, and which one takes the leadership? The brunette every time, even if she is the younger. So let the dark haired girls be at least proud of their virtue of strength, which is admired alike in men and women.

Some women were discussing the other day what made certain girls popular and vice versa, and one of them observed very justly that one of the little things which make a girl unpopular is the thrusting of herself forward when she is a newcomer in a place. There are some girls so impatient to "get there" that they will not wait for advances from other people. And that is a big mistake. If you stand still in most cases it obliges the other person to make some move, but if you make all the moves yourself there is nothing left for the other to do but criticise them.

The Jealous Girl.

And, while we are on the subject of peculiar girls, did you ever notice this particular antic of the jealous one? When she sees a group of people talking she positively cannot keep away; she has to come up and see if they are planning or discussing something from which she is left. She hovers around like an uneasy spirit on the perpetual lookout for confidences which she does not share, and this is the way she gets snubbed:

Miss Jealous, seeing a man laughing with a group of young girls, feels she can stand it no longer. With a dex-

"I was looking for Miss Brown."

terous side swoop she is upon them, eyes alight and lips parted in an ingratiating smile. Silence immediately falls upon the group. She is a trifle disconcerted.

"Oh—er," she gushes. "I was looking for Miss Brown." Then she pauses, waiting for some one to resume the conversation.

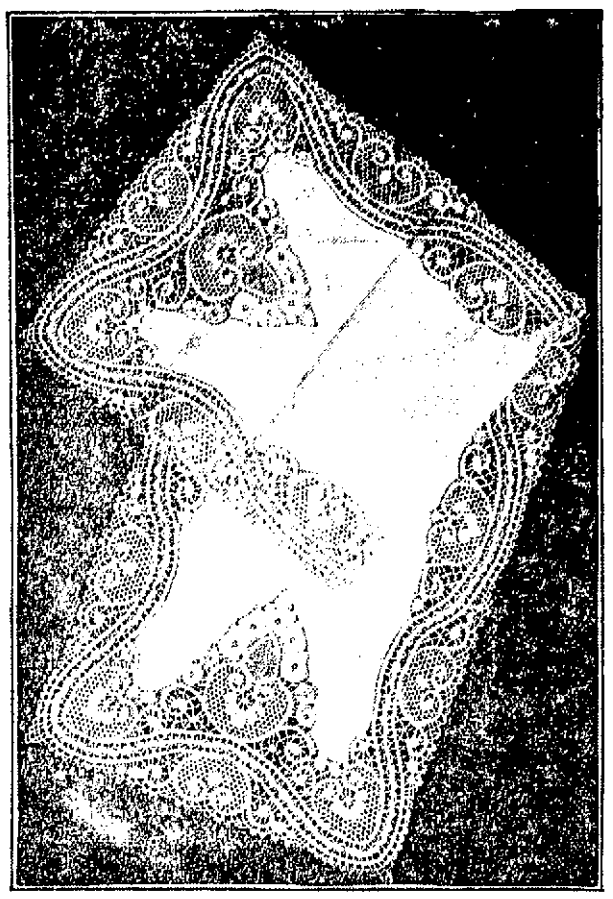
"Well, you can see for yourself that she isn't here," remarks coolly one of her long suffering victims. And in the silence that follows there is nothing for Miss Jealous to do but depart, which she does, much crestfallen.

Appearance Counts For Much.

And still another thing which many girls do not realize, and that is the necessity of keeping up one's appearance. If you are stupid or poor or unlucky don't let people know it. If you have good clothes, for mercy's sake wear them and don't let them hang in the closet until they are out of style. Don't wear one suit all the time because it is comfortable. Live in as good a house as you can afford, even if you have to practice hidden economies. Above all, keep a smiling countenance no matter what happens. This habit involves little effort after you become accustomed to it, and it will certainly bring you many friends and good times.

Kate Clyde

New York.



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WOMEN WALKERS.

In Berlin a number of young women employed in millinery establishments recently got up a contest to see who among them could walk the greatest distance in twenty-four hours. Unfortunately the novelty of the match excited so much public attention that the police interfered after the first five and twenty miles had been covered on the ground that it was impeding the traffic. It is said that both the emperor and empress were among the spectators witnessing the start.

A pedestrian match that succeeded in Berlin, however, took the equally novel form of twelve ladies under twenty years of age competing with twelve ladies of forty years of age in walking fifty times round one of the principal squares. The contest was decided at night, and, contrary to the general expectation, resulted in an easy win for the more mature competitors.

Among English women the palm for exploits of this nature should undoubtedly go to a certain Mrs. Sharp of Bradford. The performance by which she is best remembered among pedestrians was the truly remarkable one of walking a thousand miles in a thousand hours. So far as mere speed is concerned this is perhaps nothing out of the common. The noteworthy point about it, however, consists in the extraordinary endurance that was required to carry it out without breaking down.

GOOD FOR THE FEET.

If there is anything that spoils one's winter season it is the unwelcome presence of chilblains. Here is a remedy for these destroyers of our comfort: First make a wash by dissolving alum in warm water, then apply it with a warm cloth night and morning. The relief is almost instantaneous. Do not use very much alum in making the wash and don't soak the feet in alum water. Alum is useful in so many ways that you should always have a box of it on your toilet table.

Girls often suffer from excessive perspiration of the feet. A very good cure for this annoying complaint is a lotion made by infusions of sage or rosemary. After applying the liquid and allowing the feet to dry they should be powdered with starch. It is advisable to change the stockings as often as possible. A good method of treating your feet when they are very tired is to bathe them in salt water. The care of the feet is a most important factor in retaining your health, and it is a thing which girls are apt to neglect. Many colds are taken through the ankles; therefore keep them warm and well protected.

SHE WANTS TO KNOW.

A witty club woman asks: "Why is it that nothing that could be uttered by a spinster on the management of husbands, no matter how wise or how learned the spinster might be, would ever command serious attention, while the dictates of a confirmed bachelor (Paul) who lived nearly 2,000 years ago in a civilization differing in nearly every particular from our own is still made the standard of excellence for wives?"

COLLECTING MIRRORS.

Within the past few years a decided fad for the collecting of antique mirrors has developed, and many a looking glass of ancient days, treasured more for association's sake than for its intrinsic value, has assumed considerable importance commercially. Colonial mirrors are having a decided vogue at the present time, more particularly those decorated with a pastel across the top.

NAGGING MOTHERS.

She was not a cross looking mother by any means. She was nicely dressed and ladylike in her appearance as she entered the public dining room and was seated, together with her little child, at the same table with me.

Her order was given, the food brought, and then began low toned but continual commands to the child.

"Eat your dinner now; eat it up." Silence for a moment. "Don't gaze around the room. Eat your dinner." Silence. "Eat your dinner, now." Every time the poor child dared hesitate over a single mouthful the command was shot at her to "eat" until, my own pleasure in the meal being spoiled, I left.

Children are often worried because their mothers are too attentive and continually reprove the small ones without reason.

A child should be left alone and be allowed to play or amuse itself in its own way without the constant direction of a nervous mother.

A boy, for example, enjoys more a few simple toys and something which his own ingenuity has worked out than the most elaborate plaything which has been bought.

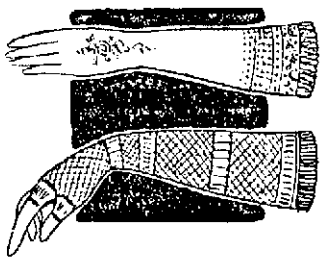
In the same way the little girl will lavish her affections on a misshapen doll, probably made at home, while the most artistic production of the toyshop will lie in state, to be taken up on rare occasions.

Keep children well, clothe them sensibly, let them understand they are to amuse themselves and don't annoy them.

If your selfish love has hitherto kept your children dependent upon you it is your duty lovingly to teach them self reliance. A wholesome letting alone and as much personal freedom as may be compatible with its moral development brings the highest good and the truest pleasure to a child.

LACE MITTS FOR EVENING.

All smart girls will be glad to avail themselves of the new lace mitts. With evening dress they are much used. They are easily made at home, and there are certain advantages of the homemade article. You can choose a



LACE GLOVE AND MITT CONTRASTED.

thinner lace and a pattern quite unique. For instance, there is a beautiful homemade pair of mitts made with lace of a butterfly pattern and so cut that the embroidered butterfly rests on the back of the hand, while the remainder of the mitt is of plain spotted net. The advantage of showing pretty rings and well kept finger nails instead of incasing them in gloves is apparent.

PAPER STOCKINGS.

Paper gloves and stockings are now being manufactured in Europe. As to the manner in which the former are made little is known, but the stockings have been carefully examined by experts, and they are loud in their praise of them. Let no one assume, they say, that these stockings because they are made of paper will only last a few days, for they will last almost as long as ordinary stockings. The reason, they point out, is because the paper of which they are made was during the process of manufacture rendered into a substance closely resembling wool and was then woven and otherwise treated as ordinary wool.

LINEN TAFFETA CURTAINS.

Draperies of linen taffeta in white with flecks of satin through the material have the most tasteful borders. One pair has a moss green ribbon design around them holding bunches of violets. The pattern is four or five inches from the edge of the curtains and they are finished with a green cording.

Mrs. Russell Sage And Her Opinions

WE were listening to a lecture on the upbuilding of the body and the whole environment and circumstances of our lives through ever thinking thoughts of health, beauty, goodness and comfortable financial circumstances. In time new brain cells would be built, and body and outward circumstance would outpicture the longed for conditions. The lecturer herself was a noble specimen of physical beauty, artistically and aesthetically gowned in gray that looked like a mist of the morning. She seemed a woman of the coming race, large, queenly and radiant faced.

At the close of her lecture she was enthusiastically applauded by fair, white gloved hands. As the applause ceased a slender, wiry little lady the exact antithesis of the superb lecturer arose and made some announcement in a voice that had a ring of steel in it, as if its undervibrations were saying, "That's the truth, and if you don't agree with me you are dead wrong, and that settles it." The lady was dressed all in black and wore a little black toque bravely tied under her chin three years after even old women in Paris and America had ceased to wear bonnet strings.

Mrs. Russell Sage.

The little lady in black looked as if she might be seventy years old and did not care who knew it. Her features were strong, though symmetrical, and her mouth shut like a steel trap. Her face was shrewd and kindly as well as intellectual, yet had a merry twinkle in its gray eye withal.

Her personality was so marked and so markedly in contrast to that of the preacher of the beauty gospel who had preceded her that I asked a handsomely gowned woman near me who the lady was with white hair and bonnet strings tied under her chin.

"That? Oh, that's Mrs. Russell Sage."

Instantly I said to myself, "And if any woman on this planet can manage 'Uncle Russ' this one can."

It is really true that Mrs. Russell Sage exercises a more humanizing influence on the great financier than anybody else ever did. Maybe it is because she was a schoolmistress in her youth and learned to manage not only school children, but grown ups. She is president of the Emma Willard association, a director of the Woman's hospital in New York and a member of various patriotic societies among women. It is on record that once she attended the annual dinner eaten to the memory of the pilgrim mothers. It was a dinner given by women, but men were permitted to be present and do honor to the occasion. Mrs. Sage—maiden name Margaret Olivia Slocum—is a direct descendant in the seventh generation from Miles Standish, and she looks and acts the part.

At the close of that pilgrim mothers' dinner the men present began to smoke. Mrs. Sage left the banquet hall sickened with tobacco fumes and disheartened over women who met in honor of the pilgrim mothers and went home with hair and clothing steeped in stale tobacco smoke. She declared she could not endure tobacco smoke and would never attend such another unholy exploitation of the pilgrim mothers' memory.

The smoker inebriate is Mrs. Sage's especial aversion. She has said: "I believe that smoking is the main cause of the inefficiency of many men. Smoking has a soporific effect, and the men sit and dream and are lulled into forgetfulness of what should most interest them."

The little lady with the decided mouth clinched her opinions with an illustration most forceful. There was among the governors of the Woman's hospital at one time the now exploded superstition that a man superintendent was necessary in order that his authority should be respected; that a woman would not be obeyed by the employees. Accordingly, the flag of the superintendent masculine waved over the Woman's hospital. There began to be serious complaint. The gentleman superintendent did not get his breakfast until half past 8, a serious misdemeanor in the estimation of the early stirring Mrs. Sage, with her New England habits of activity. Then, after his luxurious 8:30 breakfast, the gentleman superintendent shut himself up in his rooms and "smoked for an indefinite time, during which nobody could get at him for anything."

Affairs began to go so badly that the man's resignation was at length accepted, and a woman was put in his place. After that, Mrs. Sage says, expenses were reduced one-third, everything was kept exquisitely neat, and the patients were supplied with dainties that mean so much to an invalid and that a woman's mind always suggests.

One more object lesson on the smoking habit Mrs. Sage gives. A relative of her own was seized with mortal illness at a hotel, and two men nurses were hired. They kept the room of that dying man foul and saturated with tobacco smoke. If a visitor opened the door unexpectedly the man nurse was usually found lying upon a couch with a cigar and newspaper, reposing and smoking till perhaps a groan from the patient recalled him to a sense of what he was there for. Mrs. Sage's words are clean cut and to the point, and she does not use too many. She would have made a jolly good newspaper woman if she could have repressed somewhat that sharply critical spirit of hers. She concludes the account of the men nurses with this moral:

"Had those nurses been women they would have attended to things conscientiously. The room would have been kept neat, quiet and unheated with cigar smoke. They would scarcely have left the bedside a moment. Their sympathy would have been enlisted for the sufferer, and they would have striven to afford him comfort in his last illness."

Usually the more ignorant an individual is the more opinions that person expresses on things he does not know about. Mrs. Sage is an exception. She has more opinions to the square inch of her brain pan than almost any other intelligent lady of her time, and she speaks them straight out regardless. She is a bonanza for the newspaper interviewer, and she always has something racy and interesting to say. Whatever does not square itself with her Puritan conscience she does not hesitate to oppose forcibly. Of Sunday observance she says, "In our old home up state at 6 o'clock on Saturday night all work was laid aside and not resumed till Monday morning at 6 o'clock." The strict ideas and usages of the "old home up state" are just about right to Mrs. Russell Sage still. She mentions with hearty approval the plan of a young lady who lets her six men friends come to her house Sunday afternoon, but when they are there the young lady reads the Bible to them, and then they all discuss the chapter.

Yet, conservative as she is, Mrs. Sage is an upholder, noble, strong and outspoken, of all that fosters higher education, industrial opportunity and the gaining of legal and civil rights for her own sex. She believes women, married or single, should be pecuniarily independent. She and Miss Helen Gould, her most intimate friend, though so much younger, are both woman suffragists. There is a strange sort of eternal youthfulness about Mrs. Sage in spite of the black bonnet strings that draws around her young men and women in their twenties, and she is to them companionable and intensely interesting. They forget—so does she—the difference in years and meet on the plane of soul which knows no age.

Unknown to the world mostly, Mrs. Sage gives large sums in useful philanthropy, but she has little sympathy with beggarly charity. She says in her emphatic way:

"If people would only use their wits and do what they ought to do they would not need to ask for money."

LILLIAN GRAY.

THESE WOMEN CAN WORK.

Three Italian women applied recently for work on the Chicago street cleaning force. One of them had worked two years in Naples handling freight, had wheeled a wheelbarrow at the excavation of Pompeii and carried bricks in Naples. Another had worked in the vineyards near Milan, had tamped down stones in the streets and for a year had been harnessed with a dog to haul a milk wagon. The third had worked eight years in Italy cleaning streets and had worked in stone quarries two years. Mrs. Paul, the woman superintendent of a Chicago ward cleaning brigade, was in favor of employing the women, but Superintendent Solon thought they had better stick to housework.

KHEDIVE PEARS.

Take one pound of stewing pears, peel and core, making each hole large enough to contain a date. The dates must have first been well washed and drained. Put the pears into a jar and add a few extra dates; pour a wineglassful of cooking sherry over them, add a little sugar and let them stew in a slow oven for about eight hours. Pears cooked in this way and served with cream are delicious.

MUSEUM OF THE BALLET.

Paris has a museum of objects relating to the ballet. It includes everything from old ballet skirts to jewelry worn by famous dancers. There are also casts of the feet of these terpsichoreans, among them being one of Mme. Vestris' feet. It was made for Lord Fife at a cost of $5,000 and sold after his death for 50 cents.

"I presume you carry a memento of some sort in that locket of yours?" "Precisely. It is a lock of my husband's hair." "But your husband is still alive." "Yes; but his hair is all gone."

THE WAY OF THE MAN WHO IS MARRIED.

MR. GRAVABLE GRUMPUS is a respectable middle aged citizen. He has arrived at that time of life when he cares more for his little comforts, particularly his dinners, than for almost anything else. It is not convenient for him to stoop over or to move rapidly. Therefore Mr. Grumpus presents an appearance of dignity.

Mr. Grumpus goes downtown in the street car every morning to business and comes back in the afternoon about 5 o'clock. He usually occupies one of the choice seats, nearest the window, in a car. It is comfortable to be next the window.

Once not long ago when Mr. Grumpus returned home in the afternoon a lady was with him. She was a good looking woman, well dressed and, like himself, inclined to be stout. But Mr. Grumpus had not in this instance departed from his habit of securing creature comfort for himself. He occupied the inner seat next the window. The lady sat upon the outside, where broad bodied men shoved past her or leaned in a tumbledown way upon the back of her seat and knocked her hat out of plumb.

The lady in spite of these little unpleasant matters was doing her best to entertain Mr. Grumpus. She was evidently pleased to be with him and made herself particularly animated. She gazed admiringly into his face, she told him the little incidents of the day, she laughed aloud, she scanned Mr. Grumpus' well fed, purple red countenance anxiously at each of her witty sallies, if perchance she might not waken even a faint smile upon that solemn countenance.

But not a glance of appreciation, not the ghost of a smile. Grumpus looked bored; nothing more. He yawned at her best joke. When she asked him a question outright he just uttered the masculine grunt contemptuous; that was all. Presently he opened a newspaper, spread it out in the lady's face, raised it as a shield between himself and her so she could no longer get at him, then turned toward the window and read all the rest of the way.

The lady looked discomfited and disappointed.

A second time Mr. Gravable Grumpus went home in company with a lady in the street car. She was no handsomer than the first one, not quite so tastefully dressed, nor did she seem strenuous in her attempts to entertain Grumpus. But Mr. Grumpus was making a strenuous effort to entertain her. He was all animation and gentlemanly courtesy. You would have thought he was a youth of twenty going somewhere with his best girl. He insisted that the lady sit next the window, he closed the window lest the draft chill her. He encountered the bumps and the sprawling over of heavy men upon him in the outside seat with equanimity, not to say alacrity.

He told the lady amusing incidents he had witnessed downtown that day. He explained to her the wonders of a new electrical invention that was to revolutionize heating and lighting in people's homes.

His memory wandered back to the days when he was a boy, and he told her of the changes that had occurred in the sphere of woman since then. He was glad that women now were having better treatment industrially than they had got thirty years ago, and he added gallantly that so far at least as his breast was concerned—slapping his chest—the old time chivalry of man toward the weaker sex had not died out. Mr. Grumpus made merry jokes, he propounded new conundrums, he called up the resources of a mind enriched by fifty years of experience and observation and brought them to bear on the entertainment of the lady during the journey of three-quarters of an hour. As they stepped from the car a flower vender stood near. Mr. Grumpus purchased a bunch of fragrant purple violets and presented them to the lady with a bow that would have done credit to Sir Walter Raleigh. The lady said to herself:

"Mr. Gravable Grumpus is one of the most delightful men I ever met."

The first lady was Mr. Grumpus' wife, the second was an acquaintance, one of Mr. Grumpus' wife's friends.

TABITHA SOURGRAPES.

QUAINT FUR TURBAN WITH WHITE OSTRICH PLUME.

WHITE ARMS.

To whiten the arms, wash them every night in water as hot as can be borne, with soap, and rub them vigorously with a bath brush. Dry on a rough towel and rub in any preparation of glycerin, with rosewater or cucumber juice, until it is absorbed. In a month the arms will be smooth and white.

LIVED IN LOWELL

Murderer of President Sakooni Bought a Hat Here

A Boston or a Lowell man, or at least a some time patron of a Boston and Lowell clothing concern, is probably the assassin of Saghatel Sakooni, president of the Armenian revolutionary society in London, who was murdered in Nunhead, near London, late Monday evening.

Sakooni, who returned to London Monday, after settling up the affairs of an associate in Switzerland, who was recently assassinated by stabbing, was entering his residence when a man rushed across the road and fired four shots at Sakooni in quick succession, the last bullet entering the region of the heart.

The murderer, who appeared to be a foreigner, fled. The only clews to the man in possession of the authorities are a hat and a silver-plated revolver, which he dropped in his flight.

"The hat," according to a London dispatch, "is a black derby with the name of the vender stamped inside, showing it to have been sold by The Bell Clothing Co., 132 Columbus avenue, and 31 to 38 Terrynack street." The name of the town is partly erased. Its first two letters are 'M. O.' and the last two are 'I. L.'"

The murderer's pistol is an automatic, magazine 10-shot weapon.

There is 1132 Columbus avenue, Boston, and at 31 to 37 Merrimack street, Lowell, a concern known as The Bell Clothing company. Wet and moisture have probably obliterated the stamped lettering in the hat to an extent that an "M" might be mistaken for a "T," making the name "Merrimack" instead of "Terrynack." The same causes probably make "L. O." and "E. L." appear as "M. O." and "I. L." the completed word, in all likelihood, being "LOWELL."

The managers of the Bell Clothing company in Lowell stated last evening that it is very likely that they may have sold to an Armenian a derby hat like the one found as a clew in the London assassination. The company has practically no Armenian trade in Boston, in Lowell, however, the concern has many Armenian customers among the mill operatives and other foreign residents.

On the meagre clew furnished by the impression in the inside of the hat the proprietors could say nothing more positive than that the hat might have been sold by them. They say that it must have been purchased some time ago, probably two years, if the inscription is as defaced as described.

It is expected by the London authorities that Sakooni's death is only the prelude to other chapters in the story of a bitter blood feud. The London police state two men were with the assassin at the time of the shooting, and that they appeared almost to force the latter to fire. Other persons connected with the Armenian society have requested police protection.

The murdered man, who was a mining engineer, became wealthy in the Caucasus and devoted his money to the Armenian cause. His society was entirely passive and opposed to violence, and it is thought this attitude inspired the advanced section of the Armenians with the desire for vengeance, the latter claiming that Sakooni's society devoted funds to charity which would have been better applied to violent remedies for the Armenian grievances.

Sakooni is said to have moved to England from America early in 1902.

It is stated that his life had been threatened on account of his participation in the exposure by the editor of a Boston newspaper, Young Armenia, of the misappropriation of funds by a faction of the Armenian revolutionists.

These men are alleged to have collected $30,000 in America in 1902 and to have put the money in their own pockets, instead of pushing the propaganda for the emancipation of the Armenians, for which the money was subscribed.

A Cure for Asthma

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VERY GOOD THING

Clerks of A. G. Pollard & Co., Form Society

A benefit society has been formed by the clerks of A. G. Pollard & Co. They met last night in the institute building in Middle street. The organization will be known as The A. G. Pollard & Co. Relief association. The object of the society is to promote the good interests of all concerned by closer contact in leisure hours. A sick benefit will also be provided. Mr. Pollard has given the association the use of the hall free for permanent quarters. He was present at the meeting last night and warmly approved of it, promising the hearty co-operation of the firm. Officers will be elected at the next meeting.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY.

The annual banquet of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society was held at the First Baptist church last evening.

This was the first banquet held since the resignation of Mrs. H. C. Fuller, who for six years previous had been its superintendent. Mrs. Fuller was the recipient of a large picture, Secretary Harry L. Woodman making the presentation in behalf of the society.

Miss Emily Simpson has taken Mrs. Fuller's place as the new superintendent. Pastor Smith T. Ford spoke on "What the Junior Society Has Done," and was followed by the Sunday school superintendent, H. L. Tibbetts, who made a few remarks suitable to the occasion.

There was a piano solo by Master Forest Wiggin, a violin solo by Miss Lillian Gifford, a song by Hattie Smithhurst, accompanied by her sister, Jennie, and readings by Miss Ella Smith.

There were 150 present at the banquet and Harry Woodman acted as toastmaster.

COFFEE PARALYSIS

A Well Defined Case.

Coffee paralysis is not common but there are more cases than folks imagine and there are cases where the nervous victim keeps on with the coffee until the trouble is chronic and incurable.

On the other hand there are many cases where leaving off the coffee and drinking Postum Food Coffee in its place has resulted in complete and speedy cures as in the following:

"For several years I was in an alarming condition and had consulted every physician in our town besides three visiting specialists. My trouble baffled them all, but their different verdicts frightened me and the treatment proposed was long, tedious and very expensive. My husband had already spent a small fortune trying to help me and the last effort was a $20 experiment which did no good.

"My trouble was a numbness or half paralyzed sensation that would creep over me especially bad at night, commencing in my arms, shoulders and down to my left side and was followed by terrible pains and a prickly sensation that is beyond description. My hands would puff up and feel like great lumps, so thick and heavy and unnatural. I could do absolutely no work of any kind.

"It was then that my mother persuaded me that my condition was largely due to the use of coffee, of which I was a great lover. She knew what leaving off coffee and using Postum had done in her own case and she finally persuaded me to make the same shift, which I did without much faith. To my everlasting surprise the change was wonderful for all my old complaints soon lessened and are now completely gone. The terrible feelings and sensations that I cannot describe have stopped completely and I feel as if new rich, red blood was flowing through my veins bringing me health and happiness.

"All of this I know is due to my having stopped coffee and used Postum. My husband and three sons all use Postum now and enjoy it greatly."

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FIRED AT DIAZ

PRESIDENT DIAZ.

Attempt to Kill President of Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

GUANAJUATO, Mexico, Oct. 28.—Great excitement was caused yesterday by an attempt on the life of President Diaz who was a guest of the state government during the festivities here. The president, his staff and guests were passing by the Cantagor garden in a street car when a man of the lower class named Ellis Toscano, approached the car shouting and fired five shots from a revolver at the car. None of the shots took effect.

Packlo Escandon, of the president's staff rushed out of the car and caught the man, wrenching the revolver from him. The police took Toscano to prison. He is a man with a bad criminal record and was but recently released from prison at Greanditas where he had served a term for homicide. The matter will be investigated. The president remained perfectly cool and was acclaimed by the crowd of citizens who showed their joy at his escape.

Toscano's evil record renders the theory of a deliberate attempt at assassination probable.

The president received the congratulations of the citizens and diplomatic corps.

DAN PATCH'S TURN

He Smashed Two More World's Records

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 28—Speed lingers in the air these closing days of the greatest season the harness horse has ever known, and yesterday afternoon three world's records were changed.

Dan Patch, the fastest of his kind, paced a half-mile in 56 seconds, a cut of one and one-half seconds in the previous record for the distance made last Saturday by Prince Alert.

A little later he was brought on the track hooked to a wagon, and paced a mile in 1.57¼. In his half-mile dash he stepped the second quarter in .27½, a 1.50 gait.

Major Delmar lowered his record to 1.59¾, making the third trotter to beat two minutes.

There was a fairly fresh breeze blowing, otherwise the conditions were perfect for fast time. The speed shown by Dan Patch shows that when he is good and fit the son of Joe Patchen is in a class by himself. The rating in both Dan Patch's and Major Delmar's miles was of the best. The champion gelding's quarters were trotted in 30, 30, 29¾, 30 seconds, and the pacing king's in 29½, 29, 29½, 29¼.

This splendid rating, made possible by having the pacemaker in front, has played a much more important part in the record-breaking miles which have been so frequent this year than the much-talked about wind shield.

Half miles better than a minute are getting quite common, and yesterday afternoon John M. paced one mile in 59¾ seconds and Star Hal one in 59¾. Both these performances were in races.

The free-for-all pace was a hard one for the talent, as neither Dariel nor Harold H., the rattle-brain Hoosier, was on a pace and tramped on his field after Dariel and won the first heat.

The third renewal of the famous Transylmulia brought forth a small field, only 15 mules taking the word. Geers' entry, Bardal, was not headed, and the silent man now has two bronze trophies for winning this event. A lot of money was bet on the race, with Geers carrying the bulk of it. The time for the mile was hung out as 1.54¾, but as the timers were fresh from Witchita, where Cresceus trotted in 1.59¾, over a track where grass is growing, the record is doubted. Over in Kansas these timers are said to have made a mistake of three seconds, yesterday it was three minutes.

ITS ANNIVERSARY

THE MATHEWS WILL CELEBRATE ON JANUARY 1, 1904.

The Mathews held their regular weekly meeting last evening and considered a large amount of business. Pres. H. F. Sullivan was in the chair and five propositions for membership were read and four new members admitted.

Mr. Denis J. Sullivan, chairman of the committee of five, chosen at the last meeting to consider the advisability of observing the anniversary of the institute, recommended on behalf of the committee that the anniversary be observed. The date of the event is Jan. 1, 1904. A committee of twenty-five members will arrange for the event, but what nature the affair will assume is not determined as yet and that matter is to be decided by the committee of twenty-five.

The committee in charge of the membership team contest reported that the committee was meeting with great success and expects to have the contest well under way in a few weeks.

MRS. LAMAR DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MACON, Ga., Oct. 28—Mrs. L. Q. C. Lamar, wife of the former justice of the United States Supreme court, died last night at her residence in this city.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB MET.

There was a large attendance at the Educational club yesterday afternoon. The program consisted of selections from Beethoven, Greig and Chopin, by Miss Ethel Livingston, which were highly pleasing.

Mrs. McBride sang "Oh, Promise delightfully. The little daughter of Dr. delightfully. The little daughter of Dr. Varney of North Chelmsford sang "Rock-a-bye Baby," to the enjoyment of all.

After the meeting tea and light refreshments were served.

At the next meeting the subject for discussion will be "California."

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PRESIDENT INTERESTED

IN MOVEMENT TO LEVEE BANKS OF MISSISSIPPI.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28.—Resolved to appeal to the Federal government for adequate aid to levee both banks of the Mississippi river and to maintain such levee at maximum grade, thereby making possible the reclamation and protection of the Alluvial lands and improving navigation, the largest and most influential levee convention yet held in the valley convened here yesterday.

A letter from President Roosevelt to Mr. Parker, chairman of the committee on arrangements aroused much enthusiasm. The president wrote:

"My dear Mr. Parker: Permit me through you to express my very great interest in the work of the inter-state levee convention. Exactly as I have taken a keen interest in irrigation in the arid regions, so I feel that the movement for thoroughly protecting the Mississippi lowlands by levees is one of importance to the whole country no less than to the people immediately adjoining the great river. I wish all success to your convention and shall follow its proceedings with close attention.

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

A resolution was adopted thanking the president for his manly and patriotic letter endorsing the purpose for which this convention was called.

MONTHLY MEETING

OF WOMEN'S RELIANCE OF FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Reliance of the First Unitarian church was held yesterday afternoon in the church parlor.

After the reading of the reports the meeting was addressed by Rev. Charles T. Billings, pastor, who talked upon the Prophet Adams. There was an unusually large attendance and after the meeting tea was served by Mrs. E. H. Scribner and Mrs. George Bowers.

CANADA'S FUTURE

GRANT'S GRANDSON MAKES A PREDICTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—"I believe, and have always been taught, that Canada is by right a part of the United States and will be some day, by force or favor."

These words, published yesterday in a Toronto newspaper over the signature of "Algernon Sartoris, grandson of Gen. U. S. Grant," have provoked harsh words, and Mr. Sartoris is promised rough handling if he comes to this city from his summer residence at Coburg, just east of here.

Interviewed yesterday, he said:

"Yes, I did say it was merely the favor of the United States that gave Canada its present lease of life as a nation.

"What does England care for her colony here? She has just shown that feeling, and Canadians admit it. The United States must have the dominion some day, and it might as well take it now.

"Could they take it? Well, now, what are you laughing about? Of course they could. I have heard the question discussed ardently among army officers of the republic.

"Of course they know the Canadians will fight, but the Americans think they would be convinced of the advantage they were to derive from being made a free people—part of the greatest republic in the world."

Mr. Sartoris leaves Coburg for Cincinnati Saturday, and thence goes to St. Louis to spend the rest of the winter.

CO-OPERATIVE BANK PROSPEROUS.

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Lowell Co-Operative bank, held last evening, some four thousand dollars was loaned on real estate at 5 and 5 1-4 per cent., and a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum for the last six months was declared. The new series of shares is now for sale, 100 having been already taken. Eighty-three shares in series 14 have just matured, the value of each share being $203.59; $144 having been paid in per share during the last 12 years at $1 per month, $59.59 being the earnings.

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SENTENCE CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28.—The court of appeals yesterday confirmed the conviction and sentence of death upon Thomas Tobin for the murder of Captain Craft in a tenderloin resort in New York city last fall. Thomas Tobin was manager of "The Empire," a drinking resort on West 29th street. Craft went into the place late at night and displayed a roll of money. He was induced to take a room for the night and after the drinking place was closed he was killed for his money and his body chopped up and put in the furnace to burn. Craft's life was taken for a sum of less than $50.

The court of appeals also confirmed the conviction and sentence of death upon William H. Ennis of Brooklyn. Ennis shot and killed his wife, Mary Ennis, in Brooklyn in January, 1902. His defense was insanity.

EX-AUDITOR LADD DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 28—Charles Renazaler Ladd, ex-state auditor of Massachusetts, died here yesterday of palsy after five months treatment at St. Luke's hospital. Mr. Ladd lived in Springfield, Mass. He leaves a widow and daughter.

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SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.45	8.50	6.00	7.04
6.25	7.40	6.20	7.26
a6.39	7.30	7.55	8.55
a6.42	7.55	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.37
a6.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.35	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.06
9.45	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
e11.43	12.25	e3.00	3.37
a12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
e1.56	2.39	e5.00	5.37
a3.03	4.20	5.38	6.25
a3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.54
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
a5.24	6.15	e7.30	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.08
a6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
a7.39	8.10	11.20	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
a6.38	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.34	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.38
a8.20	10.15	e7.30	8.08
a4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
a5.58	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.35	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.50	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
3.55	5.04	6.35	7.48
5.06	6.43	8.28	10.40
6.15	7.16	B11.35	12.15
7.00	8.09		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.03	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.27
5.50	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

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COWS.

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ANDOVER CONFERENCE

Met With Chelmsford Congregationalists Yesterday

The Andover conference was held yesterday in the Chelmsford Centre Congregational church and was largely attended.

The morning session was called to order by Moderator William Shaw of Ballardvale, Dr. A. W. Burnham of the Kirk Street church, Lowell, being the recording secretary.

Prayer was offered by Rev. G. E. Martin, D. D., of Lowell. In the absence of the pastor of the entertaining church, Rev. E. C. Bartlett, Rev. John M. Greene, D. D., of Lowell, gave the address of welcome, in the course of which he said that it was twenty-four years ago since the conference met at Chelmsford.

Moderator Shaw responded in brief remarks.

The records of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Dr. Burnham, and were approved and adopted. It was stated that the average attendance for 14 years had been 117. Delegates present last year had numbered 129, while this year just 100 presented credentials. The committee of arrangements reported through the program.

A business committee of three, to include the committee upon nominations, was appointed by the conference. They were Rev. Mr. Page of Lawrence, Rev. C. W. Huntington of Lowell, and Deacon Archibald of Methuen.

It was mentioned that since the last meeting of the conference death had removed Rev. Edwin Smith, pastor of the Ballardvale church, and a committee was appointed to express to the assembly and the family of the deceased the feeling of sorrow and great loss sustained in his decease.

Rev. G. E. Lovejoy, Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover, and Dr Greene of Lowell were appointed to attend to the framing of the resolutions

The first speaker of the day was Rev. C. W. Huntington, D.D., and his theme was: "The Union of Denominations."

Dr. Huntington said that last April a representative committee of the United Brethren, the Methodist Protestants, the Christians and the Congregationalists met at Pittsburg to consult as to the feasibility of the four denominations coming into closer relationship with each other. It was decided that the Christians were not ready to join in the movement, but the other three denominations were ready for such an affiliation, and they so reported to the full committee last July. The results of the conference were a series of proposals to be submitted to the churches at the triennial conference which meets three years from this month. It was thought practicable that efforts be made towards absolute union of the three denominations. Also that a general council according to membership be appointed, one representative for every 5000 members to perfect the union. This committee to have no legislative power, but simply advisory authority. The object of this unison will be to increase the educational and missionary labors of these three denominations; to unite several weak churches, and make one strong organization, particularly in rural districts. The proposition of the union is to be brought before the three denominations at their several conferences. "It is a woeful pity," said Dr. Huntington, "that the Christian body should be so divided. The Congregationalists number 650,000, the United Brethren 250,000, the Methodist Protestant 185,000."

It is thought by the union that religion may be made more effective, as differences in the denominations are not in creed, but are solely in the methods of church government.

"The reception of children to church membership" was the subject of a discourse by Rev. C. H. Oliphant of Melrose.

Discussions on the themes presented followed in which Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Lawrence and Rev. E. V. Bigelow of Lowell participated.

Rev. Ralph Gillam took the place of Rev. T. Clayton Welles, who was to have spoken on "Family Prayer."

Discussions followed, in which Rev. Sarah R. Dixon of Tyngsboro asked: "Should wives who have unconverted husbands have a family altar, and how is it possible to do so, when the father and some of the older children are called away to the mills and stores before the younger children are down stairs?" In answer, some thought it was not necessary to have family prayers in the early morning hours, as there was danger in the stereotyped method of reading from the Bible, prayer and singing. Variety was necessary in order to make the service attractive.

A prayer service of 15 minutes was conducted by Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Lawrence.

Brief remarks were made by Deacon Woodward of Chelmsford upon "What the conference can gather from the harvest fields of Chelmsford," the outcome of which was a bountiful collation, which was served in the vestry by the ladies of the church, covers being laid for 200.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the opening of afternoon session the business committee reported the name of W. H. Wright of High Street church, Lowell, for statistical secretary. William Shaw of Ballardvale was appointed a member of the committee of arrangements for five years.

The next meeting will be with the Lawrence Street church of Lawrence, with Rev. E. Victor Bigelow of Lowell moderator, Jacob Emerson of Methuen alternate. The fellowship committee recommended that services in churches in Andover conference be held in Lenton season, and that pastors exchange services during that season, as may be most helpful to each other. The recommendation was accepted by the conference. The committee on systematic beneficence reported through Rev. E. V. Bigelow that the churches be urged to contribute more to the six societies of the denomination, the American board of foreign missions, the home department, church building, educational department, the American missionary society and the Sunday school, supplemented by the ministerial aid. $1689 has been contributed from the 28 churches in the conference, which embraces Lowell, Lawrence, Andover, North Andover, Methuen, Tyngsboro, Chelmsford and Dracut, and $1670 expended in mission work in the churches of the Andover conference. The deficiency was made up by personal contributions.

Rev. George E. Lovejoy of Lawrence reported for the committee appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of Rev. Edwin Smith, pastor of Ballardvale.

The subject of the afternoon was "The teaching function of the church." Rev. H. G. Monk of Lawrence spoke upon "Why is it so difficult to get Bible teachers?"

"For what results should the teachers aim?" was answered by Rev. Sarah R. Dixon of Tyngsboro, in so eloquent a manner that she was given vigorous applause.

Rev. F. H. Kelly of Dracut had for his subject "What is the responsibility of parents for the Bible school?"

George E. Johnson, superintendent of public schools of the Tewksbury district, spoke from his personal experiences on "What can the Bible school learn from the public schools?"

Rev. H. H. French, pastor of the First Congregational church, Malden, gave the last address of the conference on "The preacher as a teacher," at the conclusion of which a discussion took place.

A vote of thanks was given Dr. French for his very able sermon and after the singing of a hymn the conference closed with the benediction by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow.

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Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, at 4 o'clock

FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, A 3½ STORY BUILDING AND ABOUT 5315 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 474, 476 AND 478 MERRIMACK STREET, CONTAINING TWO STORES AND STABLE ON GROUND FLOOR, AND ABOUT EIGHTEEN ROOMS.

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It is seldom the opportunity is offered the investor, to purchase down town property at the public price, but here it is, on the business side of our main street, where thousands upon thousands pass daily, almost opposite the Memorial building, so situated as never to decrease in value, for the population in upper Merrimack street, has increased 20 per cent. in the last ten years, and is still growing. So, if you want to invest where you are sure not to fail, then this is your opportunity.

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TERMS: $1000 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

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Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, THREE-STORY BLOCK OF TWO STORES AND FOUR TENEMENTS AT NOS. 218, 218½ AND 220 MIDDLESEX STREET.

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The property in question is a three-story building and about 2038 square feet of land situated on the southerly side of Middlesex street. There are two good stores and four tenements and pays at the present time about $972 a year, but with some slight alterations which I had under advisement this property should pay $1200 a year, for it is on one of the best business streets in our city, on a direct line to the railroad station, on the southerly side of the street where most of the travel is done, and is a property that is paying a fine percentage from the start on the price you will buy it for. The wise investor now-a-days centers his ideas on business property, for if any property shall increase in value it is that, so here we have it: well situated, good paying, in very fine repair, and sacrificed to you, who will get the full benefit of my unfortunate conditions, for I mean to make positive sale, if the purchaser complies with the terms.

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GAGO K. ECHMALION.

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The committee was authorized to close the office on Middlesex street, but the relief work will continue and special attention will be paid to the cases of necessity in order that there may be no suffering during the coming winter. Some small repairs will be made at once to make shelter more secure.

FUNERALS

JOHNSTON—The funeral of Matthew Johnston took place yesterday afternoon from 12 Stackpole street. Prayers were read by Rev. J. M. Craig of the First Presbyterian church, and Mr. David Dobson sang several solos. The bearers were members of Clan Grant and the burial ritual of that order was carried out at the grave in Edson cemetery. Burial was under the direction of Undertaker Young.

BOND—Alma C. Bond, niece of Mrs. Flora A. Tabor, of this city, died in Liberty, N. Y., yesterday, aged 24 years. She was well known in this city, having been a graduate of the high school and the Rogers Hall school. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

FRENCH VOTERS

A democratic rally will be held in ward six this evening and on Friday evening a rally for French voters will be held at L'Association Catholique hall, at which the speakers will be Lieut. Gov. Archambault of Rhode Island and ex-Rep. Amadee Clouthier.

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By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Hon. John E. Russell died at midnight at his home in Leicester. The cause was heart disease.

Mr. Russell formerly was one of the most prominent democrats in this state. He was a member of the 42nd congress, from the Tenth Massachusetts district and subsequently was twice the candidate of his party for governor, but was defeated. He had been a member of important political bodies and commissions and was considered an orator and writer of great ability.

He had long been ill and hope for his recovery was given up sometime ago. He was born at Greenfield in 1834. A widow survives him.

POLITICAL FIELD

27th District is Yet "Unredeemable"

The attempt on the part of the republicans to "redeem" the 27th representative district appears to have died ere its prime and again the re-election of Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon is conceded. During the past several days Candidate Upton has spent considerable time in Lowell seeking support which is denied him in the country towns, but little is heard of his efforts. A few ex-liquor dealers in the district are working for Westall, but their influence is decidedly doubtful. Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon, on the other hand, are being heard from favorably in all corners of the district and when all are talking about them it is a pretty sure sign that they hold the first place in the public mind.

Yesterday Mr. McMahon was both pleased and amused to receive a kind letter from the North Reading Improvement society notifying him that as a mark of their appreciation of his efforts in behalf of Old Home Day in North Reading the society had elected him an honorary member and wished him success. The amusing part of it is the fact that the mother of Candidate Upton, a very estimable lady, is the secretary of the society.

Mr. McMahon is one of the best known and best thought of democrats in the legislature. His popularity and influence are attested by his appointment as a member of the special committee on the revision of salaries of state and county officials. It was Rep. McMahon who turned the laugh on Police Commissioner Emmons during the sessions of the committee. Emmons was hustling about for an increase of salary and when advancing his own cause attempted to show that he had economized in his department and it was found that in the interest of economy he had dispensed with the services of an office boy, thus saving $8 per week.

When friends of Emmons went to Mr. McMahon with a request that he vote for the increase, the latter promptly replied: "Sure, I'll vote to increase his salary."

Then they went away happy and soon it became noised about that McMahon was going to raise Emmons' salary. Immediately there was a rush of remonstrants to the Billerica representative and their spokesman cried out: "You aren't really going to raise Emmons' salary are you?"

"I certainly think he should have a raise," said Mr. McMahon.

"How much are you going to vote him?" was asked.

"Eight per, with the promise that he does the office boy's work," responded Mr. McMahon and the Emmons' boom went up in ridicule.

Viewing with his colleague in popularity and influence Mr. O'Brien is one of the most valuable men in the legislature today. That his worth was recognized is apparent by the fact that the speaker placed him on the important committees of banks and banking as a member of which he distinguished himself by leading the opposition to an important measure in which he was backed by Gov. Bates. Last year, in his inaugural, Gov. Crane recommended the dissolution of savings and national banks and a bill was passed completely separating them so that they could not have quarters in the same building. This measure was an important one as it prevented unscrupulous bankers from fooling the bank examiners. This year, however, with Gov. Crane out of the way a measure was introduced by republicans to exempt certain banks from this law, allowing banks not connected with each other to occupy quarters together. Mr. O'Brien made a vigorous fight against the bill and carried it into the house where he led the democratic opposition. The republican majorities, however, shoved it through both house and senate, and it remained for Gov. Bates to sustain Rep. O'Brien by vetoing the measure.

Unless all signs fail the 26th district will send a full complement of democratic representatives to the legislature, for the strength of the republican candidates so loudly cried about appears to be only in the minds of some of their friends. The three republican candidates are worrying much over the situation and are whetting their knives in the interest of self-preservation. The older republicans cannot stand for Adams and Timmons and will vote for Brown alone. Adams and Timmons each fear that the other will beat him out on democratic votes and hence are going to cut each other to keep down majorities. The three democratic candidates are canvassing quietly and are meeting with assurances of support from most unexpected sources. The mill people of the district realize the fact that they need more men favorable to labor legislation at the state house, and in Messrs. Pinder, Conroy and Ward they have ideal candidates. All are thoroughly familiar with the mill situation and the conditions of the people in mill cities. The three democratic candidates have the ability to speak publicly on any cause they may advocate, while their opponents were never known to do so.

The republicans in the 25th district concede the election of one or more democrats in that district. The ward eight row has caused a feeling that cannot be removed before the election, and the fact that the democrats put up three strong men in Messrs. McMahon, Roark and Hendricks, makes success easier for them. Hayes and Ripley are both badly worried.

In the seventh senatorial district, Michael J. Mahoney is making friends wherever he goes and his election seems a certainty. Mr. McKinley's ability to get democratic votes, the secret of his past success, will be more than offset by the republican votes received by Mr. Mahoney.

The latter has a fine record as a member of the legislature to back him up. He is honest, temperate, progressive and an able debater and he would well represent the district if elected.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight; fresh westerly winds.

COMMITTEE DATES

THREE MEETINGS AT CITY HALL TOMORROW.

The committee on public baths will hold its meeting on Thursday evening instead of last evening.

The committee on polling places will meet tomorrow evening to arrange for polling places for the socialist caucuses.

The committee on streets will also meet.

The committee on education will meet Friday evening.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

WILL MEET AT CITY HALL THIS EVENING.

The cemetery trustees will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

DEATHS

GOULD—Joseph D. Gould, aged 68 years, and an old resident of North Billerica, passed away at his home in that town last night. The deceased leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

EASILY CURED.

Do you suffer with neuralgia of the head? Ninety per cent. of this trouble is caused by a tooth. Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, makes a specialty of this trouble. Consult him.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.—At North Billerica, Oct. 27, Joseph D. Gould, aged 68 years. Services Friday, Oct. 30, at 3.30 p. m. Friends invited. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted at 79 Appleton street. No washing.

TO LET—Just what you want; front room, furnished, steam heat, bath. 26 West 6th street.

WANTED—Two large gas radiators; new or second hand. Inquire S. G. Co., 27 State street.

WOOD ALCOHOL

Man Who Drank It is in Serious Condition

Hermanild Ladue, residing at 683 Lakeview avenue, drank wood alcohol by mistake yesterday morning and now is in a serious condition at the Lowell hospital. Mrs. Ladue is confined to her bed by an injury to one of her feet and she has been using a wood alcohol wash for the injured member. Yesterday morning Ladue arose from bed and believing that a goblet which was partly filled with wood alcohol contained water, he drank it. He went to his work as usual in the Lowell Machine shop and when he returned to his home last night he was feeling ill and later was in a semi-conscious state. He continued that way all night and at 9.30 this morning the ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the hospital, where no change has been noted yet in his condition.

TWO WOMEN FINED

On Joint Complaint of Keeping Liquor

JUDGE HADLEY COMMENTS ON THE CASE

And Refers to the Kearns Liquor Case

GETTING BACK AT SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE

By Whom His Decision Was Reversed

In summing up the evidence in a liquor case heard in police court this morning Judge Hadley said it was not necessary to show intent to sell or to expose for sale in order to find against the defendant. "If the jury in the Kearns case had been instructed in this matter," said his honor, "there would have been a different verdict."

Mary J. Keyes and Mary Shaughnessy were the defendants in today's case. They were tried jointly. They keep a boarding house at the corner of Middlesex and Robson street and certain liquors were seized there by the officers a few days ago.

The witnesses in the case for the government were Officers Atkinson, Brown, Corcoran, T. J. Dwyer, Markham and Inspector Maher. The most damaging evidence was an interview which Officer Atkinson had with Mrs. Shaughnessy. Judge Hadley said the opening of the interview was the key to the situation.

He said that he went to the door and asked Mrs. Shaughnessy if he could get a bottle of beer and that she said yes and proffered him a chair. "She told me wait a minute," said the officer, "and when she came back she was much agitated. She then told me that I couldn't get any beer there."

The officers searched the premises and found considerable ale and porter. They found a case of porter in Mrs. Keyes' room, cases of ale in other rooms and in a room that Mrs. Keyes said the cook occupied was found two more cases. Mrs. Keyes said she had not been in the room for three years. The officers said it was funny that she would live in a house three years without visiting all the rooms. Mrs. Keyes stuck to it that she hadn't been in the room for that length of time and expressed great surprise to find beer there. It was between 9 and 10 o'clock at night and a lamp was burning in the room, several bottles that had been recently emptied were standing about and two men with beer bottles in their hands were seen going in to another room.

Mrs. Keyes claimed that she had 75 boarders in the house, a statement that the police did not try to deny, and that she had no knowledge of any beer being in the house except what was in her room. She knew, she said, that some of her boarders had beer in their rooms all the time.

Another dark spot in the case for the defendants was the testimony of Mrs. Kelly, the cook. She said she had slept in the house one night within the last month and she couldn't very well account for the lighted lamp and the beer in the room that Mrs. Keyes said was her's at the boarding house.

Judge Hadley has already stated that the boarding house scheme is more of a blanket to cover illegal sales than a legitimate issue in liquor cases and he found the defendants guilty. Mrs. Keyes was fined $75 and Mrs. Shaughnessy $50. They appealed and were ordered for the superior court in the sum of $300 each.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Edward L. Nealey and Joseph Clovet were fined $6 each and Thomas Kelly was placed on probation.

FIRE ON DUMP

ANOTHER BLAZE ON AIKEN STREET.

A telephone alarm summoned the members of Hose 8 to a fire on the Aiken street dump yesterday afternoon.

Engine 4 responded to a still alarm for a fire in a shed in the rear of a building owned by D. A. McHugh in Fayette street yesterday afternoon. The fire started in a pile of rubbish, but the origin of the blaze is a mystery. The damage was slight.

The Thompson Hardware Co.'s special 10c Gas Mantle is equal to many of the high priced mantles. Try them.

Economy Demands a Change

In the Middlesex County Commission

The Democrats have nominated for Commissioner, George R. Duren of Carlisle, who has been an efficient member of the Board of Selectmen of his town, and is at present one of the Board of Assessors. During President Cleveland's first administration he was assistant postmaster of Carlisle.

Mr. Duren is a member of many fraternal organizations, among which are: Oberlin Lodge, I. O. O. F.; Wannalancit Encampment, Passaconaway Tribe of Red Men; Lodge, B. P. O. Elks; Chevalier Lodge, Knights of Pythias of Lowell; Windsor Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, Boston.

For twelve years he was a member of Troop F Cavalry, M. V. M.

Vote for the Democratic candidate for Commissioner.

Vote for William A. Gaston for Governor.

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THE SUN LATEST

5 O'CLOCK

COMING TO LOWELL

Mosely Commission Will Inspect Textile School

The Mosely Educational commission of Great Britain who are inspecting educational institutions in leading cities of this country, to determine their bearing upon national commerce and industry, has arrived in Boston from New Haven.

The members, drawn from prominent industrial and educational centers in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, are headed by Alfred Mosely, a prominent English manufacturer, through whose efforts the commission was appointed. He is the host. Other members are:

Arthur Anderton, alderman and chairman of the technical instruction committee of the West Riding County Council; Prof. W. E. Ayrton, late professor of natural philosophy in the Imperial College of Engineering, Japan, and now occupying the chair of physics in the Central Technical College; Prof. H. E. Armstrong, heading the department of chemistry at the City and Guilds of London Institute; Thomas Barclay, vice-president of the International Law Association and a former Paris correspondent of the London Times, 1876-1882; Mayor Black of Nottingham; R. Blair, assistant secretary for technical instruction in the department of Ireland; Dr. J. R. Bradford, professor of materia medica and therapeutics, University College; President Coward of the National Teachers' union; J. G. Cockburn, late chairman of the Leeds school board.

Also Rev. Prof. Finlay of University College, Dublin; Sec. Foster of University College, London; Head Master Fletcher of the Liverpool Institute; W. H. Gaskell, university lecturer in physiology, Cambridge; Warden Gray of Bradford College; W. P. Groser of the parliamentary industry committee; C. J. Hamilton, secretary to the commission, and lecturer at University College, Cardiff; Chairman Heane of the Rochdale Technical School; Rev. A. W. Johnson of the London school board; Wm. Jones, M. P., for Carnarvonshire; Prof. Maclean of the Glasgow Technical College; Deputy-Chairman Rathbone of the committee on elementary education, Liverpool; Principal Reichel of University College, North Wales; John Rhys, professor of Celtic at Oxford; W. Ripper professor of engineering, Sheffield College; Chairman Charles Rowley of the Manchester School of Art; A. J. Shepheard of the London county council; Director Arthur Spencer of the Plymouth Girls' High School, and John Whitburn of the education commission, Newcastle city council.

The personnel makes plain the fact that this is the most important commission of the kind that has ever visited this country. The visitors will remain in Boston until Saturday evening, when they will start for the west. While here they will, of course, visit Harvard, Technology, Boston university and Radcliffe, and a considerable number of typical Boston public schools, the Mechanic Arts High, Boston Latin, Roxbury High for boys and girls and others. Textile industries of Lowell and other cities nearby will also receive attention.

The commission will not move as a body, but will split into small groups of two or three; in some cases one will investigate alone. By this policy much can be done in a brief period.

The commission will be too busy to accept much social attention, but a few affairs have been arranged for them.

The commission will visit this city tomorrow and will inspect the Textile school. They will be shown through some of the local mills.

POLICE BOARD

MANY MINOR LICENSES WERE GRANTED

The police board met in usual weekly session at police headquarters last evening, and disposed of a grist of routine business. The following licenses were granted:

Common victualler: Mary Mailey, 113 Gorham street; Philomene Pless, 21 Pearl street; Roche A. Caruthe, [illegible] School street; P. E. Harris, corner Gorham and Middlesex streets; Rosimene Desjardines, 5? Aiken street.

Innholder: George H. Burrell, 126 Central street, New American House.

Express wagon: William J. Carroll, 51 Pond street.

Junk collector: Morris Schwartz, 105 Howard street.

Hawker and peddler: Clarence Stevens, Chelmsford; Horace L. Downs, 17 Seventh street; J. R. White, Hudson, N. H.

Hackney coach: Chapman Havey, [illegible] Varnum street. His bond was accepted and placed on file.

The following common victuallers' licenses were revoked: Blanche Pelletier, 24 Aiken street; Philomene Pless, 28 Pearl street; Leonie Marion, 119 Cheever street.

Leave to withdraw was granted to Thomas Harrington on his application for a pool table license at 102 Lakeview avenue.

The common victualler's license of Alfred Frost, 2?0 Middlesex street, was revoked.

LAWSON'S OFFER

HE WILL PAY THE MINERS' UNION $250,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—Mr. Thomas W. Lawson, one of the largest stockholders, having made an offer to pay the miners' union a company, wired to Butte, Mont., yesterday an offer to pay the miners' union a commission of $250,000 for at once satisfactorily arranging an arbitration of the question of the price to be paid Mr. Heinze, for the mining property in that city.

MADE HER BLUSH

WOMAN SAYS GOWN WAS CUT TOO LOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—"The gown was so low cut that it made me blush," is the beginning of a lawsuit brought by Miss Edna Bronson of St. Louis against her dressmaker. Miss Bronson is prima donna in the "Fisher Maiden" at Hammerstein's Victoria theatre. Mme. Nasina Birane of Madison avenue, near 59th street, is the dressmaker.

The gown cost $90, Miss Bronson says. It was to be worn in the second act of the operetta.

"I told her just how high in the neck the dress must come," said Miss Bronson yesterday. "There is a little charm that I always wear at my throat. It was given me in St. Louis. It has brought me good luck. I told Mme. Birane that a gown cut any lower than the charm hangs would offend my idea of modesty.

"The gown came here. There wasn't so much as a shoulder strap. I couldn't have worn it on the stage without making myself amenable to the laws of the state my lawyer. [illegible] I had to have the bodice built up."

Mme. Birane professed to be both amazed and annoyed by the suit to recover the price paid for the gown.

"It was cut in the prevailing fashion in accord with what our best New York women wear, no matter what may prevail in St. Louis," said the dressmaker. "Miss Bronson will have to wear it in court. As they say in Missouri, 'she will have to show me.'"

BOWLING NEWS.

Teams representing the Big 8 ven club and the Merrimack Fustian department bowled at Les Miserables alleys in East Merrimack street last night and the Big Seven won by 27 pins. Mercier of the vanquished team was high man with a three-string total of 258, while Henry of the winning team made a single string total of 95 in the last string. The Big Seven won the first and last strings, while the members of the Fustian department got the second string by five pins. The score:

BIG SEVEN.

	1	2	3	Totals
McGrath	8?	72	70	[illegible]
Simpson	78	67	81	[illegible]
McLaughlin	7?	65	82	[illegible]
Henry	71	[illegible]	95	[illegible]
Ripley	7?	8?	87	2?6
Total	38?	371	[illegible]	11?4

FUSTIAN DEPARTMENT.

	1	2	3	Totals
Stimpson	91	71	85	247
Marsden	[illegible]	7?	6?	[illegible]
Varney	68	78	7?	[illegible]
Clayton	76	8?	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jones	52	7?	66	1?8
Total	377	379	401	1157

COUNTRY CLUB GOLF.

Following are the scores in the sixth competition for the Vesper Country club golf cup:

A. D. Butterfield	[illegible]	1?	89	6	8?
W. E. Stratton	48	45	93	6	8?
J. Thorpe	[illegible]	[illegible]	88	0	88
W. E. Rowell	51	54	105	11	94
C. F. Weston	[illegible]	[illegible]	92	5	9?
T. Nesmith, Jr.	50	51	101	1?	9?
H. E. Shaw	55	55	110	1?	[illegible]

Drawings for final in club cup for Saturday, Oct. 31: A. D. Butterfield vs F. H. Brewer, O. Hockmeyer vs T. Stevens, F. F. Young vs A. H. Morton.

Encouraging news of Mr. Walter B. Cowe, formerly of Lowell, but now of Rhoades, Arizona, has lately been received in the city. Mr. Cowe is engaged in the cattle raising business

YOUNG CORBETT WON

Hughey Murphy Put Out in the Eleventh Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—It took ten rounds and about a minute and a half of the eleventh round for Young Corbett of Denver, Col., the featherweight champion, to get the decision over Hughey Murphy of New York before 1500 people at the Criterion club last night.

Corbett forced the boxing from start to finish. Murphy put up a clever defence and landed many clever blows, but none of them were effective. At the same time he evaded many of Corbett's most dangerous blows.

Through the first five or six rounds there was practically no difference in the skill displayed by the competitors. In the tenth round Murphy had the better of it. He showed good judgment in evading Corbett's punches, and he also avoided in-fighting which is Corbett's favorite method.

In the eleventh round Corbett started in to get the decision and at the end of a minute landed a solar plexus blow on Murphy, following it up with a left on the chin, sending the New Yorker to the floor for the count. Murphy arose groggy and Corbett landed another left on the chin. Murphy fell across the ropes and lay there. He got up before being counted out, but Corbett noticing his condition, refused to continue the fighting, and the decision was given to the champion.

Murphy then fell his length on the floor, and Corbett picked him up and carried him to his corner.

NAMES ACCEPTED

The Aldermen Confirm Precinct Officers

The board of aldermen held a brief meeting last evening, at which they confirmed the five precinct officers named by the mayor and held up at a previous meeting.

Alderman Miskella presided and eight members were present.

After routine business had been transacted Alderman Derby introduced an order providing that all petitions for street and sidewalk repairs be referred to next year's city government.

Mr. Derby stated that there is now enough work laid out to keep the department busy for the remainder of the year and use up all its appropriation.

Alderman Gallagher opposed the order and it was defeated.

A joint order transferring $400 from labor to sundries in the commons department was adopted the appropriations committee having recommended the transfer.

After a brief recess the names of the precinct officers came up and the mayor's appointments were confirmed without discussion.

Adjourned.

ESCAPED DEATH

DUNCAN McLOUGHLIN HAD A CLOSE CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NATICK, Oct. 28.—Duncan McLoughlin of South Framingham, aged about 21, had a narrow escape from death while working on a pole near the electric light station yesterday noon. He suffered a shock, receiving 550 volts, and fell from the cross arm to the ground, a distance of about 15 feet.

McLoughlin was unconscious. He soon revived and was taken to the Framingham hospital at his preference. He had no broken bones and his injuries consisted of severe burns on the hand and fingers and on the back. It is expected that he will be able to leave the hospital in a week or 10 days.

BOY ASTRONOMER

SAW GROUP OF SPOTS ON THE SUN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Col., Oct. 28.—Herbert S. Howe, the 17-year-old son of Prof. Herbert A. Howe, instructor in astronomy at Denver University, is said to have discovered at the upper edge of the sun's disc a new group of sun spots as great in magnitude and importance, it is said, as the group discovered by the scientists of the Washington observatory two weeks ago. The boy made his observations with a six inch telescope in the observatory at University Park in this city.

Mrs. Ernest Laroue, Master Leo, and Miss Cecile Laroue spent Sunday and Monday with relatives at Revere Beach.

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NARROW ESCAPE

Prince Galitzin Nearly Assassinated

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFLIS, Russian Trans-Caucasia, Oct. 28—Prince Galitzin, governor-general of the Caucasus had a narrow escape from assassination yesterday on the outskirts of the town. Three natives stabbed the governor-general thrice. They fled but were subsequently shot down by Cossacks.

Prince Galitzin was driving with his wife when the would-be assassins rushed upon the carriage, daggers in hand. Two seized the governor-general and attempted to drag him from the vehicle while the third inflicted two ugly wounds on the prince's head and a third cut on the hand.

A Cossack who was in attendance upon his excellency threw himself upon the assailants. While a hand-to-hand fight was in progress the carriage was driven off at a gallop. Ultimately the assailants fled, followed by a mounted guard of Cossacks who had hurried to the scene.

The Cossacks chased the fugitives through the brush, firing constantly with their rifles. They killed one man instantly. The other two were shot down and died soon afterward.

After his injuries had been dressed Prince Galitzin attended a reception given by the citizens of Tiflis.

The outrage had produced great indignation, the governor general having become popular because of his interest in the welfare of the inhabitants. Owing to the excitement performances at the theatres were suspended. There is little doubt that the thickness of the cap worn by the prince saved his life.

Dispatches from Trans-Caucasia within the past month show unrest at Tiflis, owing to the transfer of the Armenian church part of the Russian government under the decree of June 25. Disquiet has been reported at various points in which quite a number of lives were lost and the Armenian church authorities are said to have threatened to transfer the headquarters of the Armenian Catholic church to another country.

Prince Galitzin, who was sent to his present post a year ago last April, was charged with having recommended the transfer of the church party and several times his life has been threatened.

ALL AMERICANS

HOW POPE CLASSES CANADIANS AND SOUTH AMERICANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Oct. 28.—The apparent misapprehension under which an American prelate was laboring when he made the statement that several American clergymen would be nominated as cardinals is explained here by the statement that it is the custom in Rome to use the name "Americans" as applying to Canadians, citizens of the United States and South America equally.

If the pope therefore mentioned his intention to create several American cardinals he did not mean that they should be Americans in the strict sense of the word.

South American countries, particularly Brazil, have repeatedly asked for cardinals.

It is probable that the archbishop of Rio Janeiro will be the first South American to be raised to the purple.

If this is done it will then be difficult to refuse the same favor to Mexico, which has a Catholic population almost equal to Brazil, and even more difficult not to extend the privilege to the archbishops of Buenos Ayres, Argentina and Santiago, Chile, whose Archbishops [illegible] and [illegible] respectively have been rivals for the red hat for several years.

It has been suggested, in order to make room for new cardinals, to reduce the cardinals in those countries which do not [illegible] the privilege, [illegible] which [illegible] cardinals.

The suggestion [illegible] has been made to continue the system inaugurated by Leo XIII to [illegible] about a better balance between the numbers of foreign and Italian cardinals.

OFFICER DOWNEY

CONTRADICTS A STATEMENT MADE BY SUPT. WHITCOMB.

Editor Sun:

Dear Sir: I wish to correct the statement made by Mr. Whitcomb, superintendent of schools. Oct. 24, Charles A. Downey, was dropped by the truant school committee.

This is not so. He was dismissed from the truant school by the old truant school committee.

Trusting you will oblige me with space, I am, dear sir,

Respectfully yours,

HUGH DOWNEY.

GENERAL STRIKE

May be Ordered by the Bridge Workers

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—President Buchanan of the International Association of Bridge & Structural Iron Workers, who has been here several days endeavoring to patch up the existing difficulties between the iron league and the housesmiths' union, has received a letter from the secretary of the league refusing to meet the executive committee of the international organization.

The strike committee of the iron league says there is nothing to settle. It is through with all negotiations with the housesmiths' union and the members of the league are employing only members of the union formed by the building trades employers' association. Until the union expresses its willingness to sign the plan of arbitration the iron league will have nothing to do with it.

As the union is on record and unequivocally opposed to the signing of the plan, it is expected a strike will be ordered on all the contracts held by members of the iron league out of town in retaliation.

Men, it is expected, will be called out in Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New Orleans and Newark. The order would affect plants with lands and machinery. We have a population of 411,588 people of whom 52.9 per cent. are engaged in gainful occupations. Of this 52.9 per cent., only 4.3 per cent. are in the professions while 95.7 per cent or a total of 208,367 people, are engaged in agriculture, manufacturing, mechanical pursuits, trades, transportation, domestic and private service. Again, it is probably safe to estimate that at least 2000 young people enter upon active independent life in our state each year. Assuming this estimate to be correct and that 4.3 per cent. of them enter the professions, there are still remaining 2871 who engage in industrial pursuits. Would not these thousands of serious minded young men and women, annually starting out to make an independent living be more successful as bread-winners; would they not get more true enjoyment out of life, exert a wider influence on this community and take a more intelligent interest in the affairs of state if more of them had thorough training in the business upon which they enter?

I believe it to be the most important duty of this college to provide adequate training for these young men and women. Of course the college also has the further duty of extending its privileges to citizens of the state who are unable to attend its courses of study.

What we desire is that adjustment of studies and hours in the course which will give "depth without narrowness and breadth without superficiality." I believe that we should give much prominence to the long courses for the reason that four years is short time enough in which to give the necessary instruction in a sufficient number of cultural, scientific and vocational studies, 500 iron workers and probably 5000 men in the building trades in these cities who are dependent upon the work of the iron workers will be forced into idleness.

A meeting of the executive of the Merrimack Valley Cricket league has been convened by the president, Charles Waite, to be held on Saturday evening at the club house of the Lawrence Athletic C. C.

Eyes and Nose Ran Water.—C. G. Archer of Brewer, Me., says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. I would not be without it. It relieves in 10 minutes. Sold by Falls & Burkinshaw.—22.

FEARFUL

Mrs. Farrar Relates Her Terrible Experience

WANTED TO DIE

Pain Threatened to Crush Out Her Life

"Can this be true?" inquired an attache of The Lowell Sun after listening to the story of Annie E. Farrar, Monday afternoon—a story which told of horrible nightmares, fearful dreams and terrible pain covering a period of nearly two months.

"Every word is gospel truth," she replied, "and I only wish I knew how to express myself better to describe my terrible experience, and the joy I now feel, for I know I owe my very life this moment to Dr. Bartlett's Vital Force. Mrs. Farrar's story follows, and our readers may judge for themselves:

"In July last, I was taken ill. Terrible pains like rheumatism pains were experienced in my feet and lower limbs. The pains were so severe at times that I would cry out when I had strength to do so. I could not draw two breaths in peace and comfort so intense was the agony of body and mind. Four different physicians were called. They did their best, but were unable to stop the pains which threatened to crush out all the life I had left in me.

"My nerves were completely unstrung; and my head pained me so with neuralgia that I thought it would burst open. Oh, how discouraged I was. When I did get a little sleep it was only to awake from a horrible nightmare or some fearful dream on account of my nervous state and the terrible pains. I had tried every known remedy which appealed to my case, but not one of them helped me. I read about several of the marvelous cures performed by Vital Force, and I determined to give this medicine, like others, a trial.

"When I went out to purchase the bottle I was so dizzy that I thought I would fall in the street so fearful was I with worrying and despondency. The first dose of the medicine seemed to give me courage. I grew better from that very moment. I used up the bottle and got another.

"Oh, what peace of mind and quiet nerves came to me as day after day came and went. My sleep was refreshing and my mind became clear and strong. The pains left me completely and my strength gradually came back to me. I knew before I began to take this great remedy that if I went to the hospital I would never leave it alive. Thanks to Dr. Bartlett's Vital Force—the remedy which restored my life and changed it from one of darkness and despair to one of health and happiness. I wanted to die, but now I want to live."

(Signed), "ANNIE E. FARRAR,

"143 Appleton St.

"Lowell, Mass., Oct. 26, 1903."

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ty in the line of a church ba- he grand Imperial Bazaar st evening in the Primitive church in Gorham street nuing tonight and tomorrow y evenings.

tures are entirely different enjoyable than those of the bazaar and the large gather- t last evening appreciated the

aar was held in the vestry of h and the doors were thrown 5.30, though the bazaar was opened by Agent Connell of nt & Suffolk mills, who pre- the evening's festivities.

Alderman Derby will preside. McKinley will officiate on evening and on Friday ex- Westall will do the honors.

MR. MATHEWS, Pastor.

person entered the bazaar he ented with a souvenir pro- hich told where the booths ted and what might be pur- them, outlining also the en- nt program for the four

agreeable departure from the bazaar was the absence of all nessing or kindred contests lmost inevitable girl with the book was conspicuous by her

n prettily decorated tables sition about the vestry, while partments opened off the ves- was a fishing pond, ven- entertainment and museum

the features was the grocery h Thomas Gardiner as the er. His assistants were Jo- hiffe, Sam Ashquith and J. W. All the commodities found in a lated grocery store were to at market prices. This was Men's League department, had side lights of furniture ware.

Ladies' Aid department the feature was a dry good store, with all the little articles dear to the feminine fancy.

The young people's department had a special feature in China and fancy goods.

The beverage table in green and pink was in charge of the lower class of Willing Workers, with Miss Maude Mountford and Miss Nellie Sladen as the matrons. As assistants there were 25 members of the class.

The fancy table abounded in all of the pretty things in the embroidery lines. The classes of Miss Jennie Cutcridge and Joseph Fielding managed this department with forty assistants.

The infant department table was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, assisted by Miss M. E. Ogley, Miss Mabel Hurd, and Miss Ada Ogley. It was trimmed in blue and white. All sorts of toys and children's things were on sale.

The Mystery table was in charge of William J. McCready and William and Albert Fielding. The table was handsomely decorated with the National colors.

The Ladies' Aid Domestic booth had the fancy goods feature. Aprons, sofa pillows, lace work, pin cushions, and "what not" were bunched on this table. Mrs. Clara Midgely, Mrs. J. Wilmot and Mrs. J. Bramhall did the selling here. The prevailing colors were lavender and white.

The flower table was busy throughout the evening and those in charge were Emma Manning, Miriam Hoyle, Joseph Potter and Thomas Woodcock.

The Wesley League C. E. table was divided into two sections, one for china and the other for fancy work. The table was trimmed in white and pink. The fancy section was managed by the following named: Mrs. William Thornton, matron; Miss Orpah Sutcliffe, Miss Alice Scoble, Miss Mary Rhodes, Miss Luella Laycock, Miss May Heap, Miss Ida Parkinson, Miss Emma Manning, Miss Zilpah Sutcliffe, Miss Ethel Greenwood, Miss Nellie Feindel, Miss Ida Wilkinson, Miss Isabel Caddell, Mrs. Geo. Grindrod, Harry Maden and Geo. Grindrod. The fancy china dept. was ably conducted by the following: Mrs. Chas. Hayes, matron; Miss Dora Heading, Miss Jennie Potter, Miss Alice Watson, Miss Jennie Spillane, Miss Lillian Richardson, Miss May Esther Dudley, Miss Sarah Howarth, N. W. Matthews, Jr., Frank Maden and Harry Anderton.

The candy table was managed by girls from the classes of Mrs. McCready and Miss E. H. Ogley. The names of the ladies who sold the sweets were: Emma Meade, Charlotte Holgate, Elizabeth Lees, Bertha Trickey, Edith Davis, Ida Boughton, Gertrude Humphriss, Nellie Rawnsley, Maud Hindle, Mabel Chapman and the Misses Edmunds.

The curio hall was of real interest to all for the curios were all genuine. George Bouring and Ellmaker Stark made the collection and showed their ability to select oddities. Among the curios were: Boxer swords, flags and garments; a collection of Filipino knives and swords, made by Sergt. Scott; a collection of warlike implements taken in Cuba and Porto Rico by Private Davison, Co. C, Sixth Regt.; petrified snakes from Sweden and Norway; a walking stick gun from the Philippines; a collection of ores and minerals, made by Gus Ahlberg, and a varied collection of stuffed birds, given for exhibition by Carl G. Pihl.

The entertainment was begun at 8 o'clock and consisted of a varied program by Albert Leith and friends assisted by Mr. Leonard Galloway, ventriloquist, and Mrs. John Galloway, who operated a phonograph.

The farmers' supper drew a big crowd. It was served by Mrs. A. Hindle, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Mrs. Thomas Steel, Mrs. S. Medley, Mrs. G. H. Manning, Mrs. John Orrell, Mrs. J. A. Feindel, Mrs. S. Ogley, Mrs. J. S. Sykes, Mrs. J. Ashworth and Mrs. Edward Cornock.

The entertainment tonight will be given by Osmond Long and party.

The executive committee in charge of the bazaar consists of: N. W. Matthews, pastor; William Thornton, chairman; Thomas Gardiner, vice-

WILLIAM THORNTON,
Chairman of Committee.

chairman; Eli Turner, secretary; Ambrose Hindle, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, Mrs. N. W. Matthews, Mrs. Albert Stopherd, Miss Dora Heading, Miss Elizabeth Ogley, Miss Maud M. Mountford, Messrs. Albert Stopherd, John W. Foster, George Bowring, Harry Maden, Walter Killerby.

RUNAWAY GIRLS

Forgiven and Taken Back to Their Homes

After weeks of wandering, and living in a questionable way, May Foley, 17, and Lillian Eno, 18, were confronted in the inspector's office at police station, this morning, the Foley girl by her uncle and the Eno girl by her father. The scene was a very pathetic one and the emotion of the officers who witnessed it was ill concealed.

Both girls belong in East Cambridge and they were arrested by Inspectors Donaldson and Maher in Mrs. Foster's restaurant, 220 Middlesex street, last evening. The condition of affairs at the restaurant was such that it was reported to the board of police and Mrs. Foster's common victualler's license was revoked at the meeting of the board last night.

The officers said there wasn't food enough in the house to satisfy the hunger of one man and another feature of the house that the officers didn't like was a door opening into a Chinese laundry.

The girls were in the company of two young men when arrested. They claimed that they had roomed in Gorham street, but that their funds had given out. They had been in Lowell three weeks, they said, and admitted that their mode of living during those three weeks was not what would suit the lover of good morals. They claimed that they had been in the habit of taking their meals at Mrs. Foster's restaurant and that they owed her some money. They further stated that Mrs. Foster told them they could work for her and liquidate their obligations in that way. The officers, however, couldn't quite understand why Mrs. Foster would require the assistance of two girls when the restaurant was minus a square meal. The girls told the officers that Mrs. Foster had gone out during the forenoon and that she had locked them in the restaurant.

The girls at first claimed that they belonged in Dover, N. H., but later admitted that they lived in Cambridge. It was plain to be seen that their straying paths had not been strewn with roses, in fact they seemed half glad to go with the police. After finding out that they belonged in East Cambridge the police of this city notified the Cambridge police and they notified the Foley girl's uncle and the Eno girl's father. May Foley is an orphan and has lived with her uncle for the last three years.

The girls were taken from their cells to the inspector's office this morning. They did not know that an uncle and father were waiting outside. In reply to questions by the police the Foley girl said she left home because the people with whom she lived were drunk all the time.

"Are you telling the truth?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Yes, that's the truth," replied the girl, and just then the door opened and her uncle appeared on the scene. In his presence she told the deputy she had lied to him. She said her uncle was good to her and that there was no reason why she should have left him.

While May Foley was wiping away her uncle's tears Lillian Eno's father entered the office and before he had time to speak his daughter's arms were about his neck and the reprimand he had stored away melted into words of love and forgiveness. With her arms still about her father's neck the Eno girl fainted and fell to the floor.

The matron was called and applied restoratives. In the guard room while the girls were preparing to leave for home, the deputy, just to impress upon them that they had a narrow escape, told Mr. Foley and Mr. Eno that perhaps after all it would be better to go up stairs, swear out complaints against the girls and have them sent to the prison for women at Sherborn.

The deputy's suggestion so startled the girls that they fell on their knees and implored the men who came for them not to send them away. They promised they would never repeat the offence, and while neither of the men had any intention of prosecuting the girls, they pretended to weigh well the deputy's suggestion, and not until they had extracted certain promises from the runaways did they decide to take them home. One of the most important of the promises was that the girls should not meet each other again after their arrival at East Cambridge.

GETS $1,000,000

Settlement Made by Miss Goelet

IN RETURN FOR THE TITLE GIVEN HER

Sum Represents Her Entire Fortune

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—There have been so many statements made wide of the mark relative to the Goelet-Roxburghe marriage settlements, some of the facts will be welcome. The settlement made by Miss Goelet upon her fiance has been variously stated at from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000. The real sum is $1,000,000, because at this time that represents into the private fortune of the young woman.

By the provision of the will of the late Ogden Goelet, whose estate at his death was estimated at $10,000,000 one-tenth of his fortune only was settled upon his daughter. But later on she will come into possession of another million on the Goelet side of the house, with, of course, a million or so to be counted on from the maternal grandparents, the R. T. Wilsons, whose millions have been steadily increasing for years.

By the Ogden Goelet will the widow Mrs. Ogden Goelet, possesses for life the Newport and New York residences, with an income of $25,000 a year. The bulk of the estate goes to Robert Goelet, who upon final accession to the entire property will come into a full $10,000,000. At present his fortune is $100,000 per annum.

Should, therefore, Miss Elsie Whelan finally smile upon Bobbie Goelet after his present year of probation, she will come in for one of the largest incomes possessed by any of the young New York matrons.

The next few days will be immensely interesting ones, by the way, to Miss May Goelet, as during that time will be unpacked for her inspection the contents of the 18 or 20 trunks which, filled with the trousseau, arrived by a steamer yesterday, and, having been O. K.'d by the customs men, were forthwith delivered at the Goelet mansion on Fifth avenue.

Such a time as there will be trying on the half hundred gowns, the delicious coveted peeps at entrancing confections to the few favored friends, the chatter of the young people and the silent, busy army of importers' assistants making the necessary alterations—and last, but by no means least, the cast-iron and oft repeated orders to the new corps of servants not to breathe a word of any of it to any of "those horrid newspaper people."

ONE MAN KILLED

ELEVATOR DROPPED FROM EIGHTH STORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—One man was killed, almost instantly, and another sustained injuries which probably will result in his being maimed for life, by the falling of a freight elevator from the eighth story of the building being erected at 66 State street, yesterday afternoon.

William Nixon, 50 years, married, of 63 Brookline street, Cambridge, employed as a carpenter on the new building, died on his way to the hospital.

Guiseppe Minichello, 22, of 261 North street, employed as a laborer, suffered a fracture of both bones of his left leg and contusions of the back.

Horse Blankets for stable or street use, at The Thompson Hardware Co.

BRYAN'S TRIP

POSTPONED UNTIL BENNETT WILL CASE IS DECIDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 28—William J. Bryan yesterday said that he had postponed his trip to Europe, he having expected to have sailed from New York today, and would not make any definite plans until after Judge Clearwland had rendered his decision in the Bennett will case.

Mr. Bryan further said that the court had stated that possibly a week would elapse before the decision would be made public.

Mr. Bryan said he was uncertain whether to stay in New Haven or New York during the interval.

McCLELLAN LEADS

NEWSPAPER POLL MADE IN GREATER NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—The World today says:

McClellan leads Low by 3854 out of the 100,007 votes polled by the World's force of non-partisan canvassers up to date. Tuesday's canvass added 15,598 votes to the grand total, which amounts to about one-sixth of the whole vote to be cast in the five boroughs.

Grout leads Hinrichs by 4546 votes in a total of 99,021 votes for comptroller. It is therefore clear that little scratching is to be expected. The figures indicate that the fusion and Tammany tickets are likely to be voted straight.

The race is so close that the problem is becoming excited. On the whole vote canvassed to date McClellan leads Low in Manhattan by 4595, and Low leads McClellan in Brooklyn by 741.

JOHN ELIOT SOCIETY.

The John Eliot Literary society met last evening at the residence of Mr. and Charles S. Proctor in Hovey street. Scotland was the subject for the meeting and the papers read by different members bore on the history and literature of that country, while there were readings from the Scottish authors and the music was of Scotland. Refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Katherine Ward had charge of the program.

VANDERBILT'S EXILE

REGINALD CAN RETURN TO NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Reginald Vanderbilt is back from exile. For months he has remained away from New York, except for an occasional flying trip here on Sunday, when he could not be served with legal process as a witness in the Canfield gambling house case.

Many of his friends, influential in politics and society, have called on Dist. Atty. Jerome to plead for the young man, urging that he be permitted to visit New York without fear of being drawn into the scandal, but Mr. Jerome refused to listen to these appeals.

The decision of the court of appeals last week in the case of Jesse Lewisohn, the recalcitrant witness in the Canfield case, in which it was held that a patron of a gambling house cannot be compelled to testify as to what goes on in the resort if it would tend to degrade or incriminate him, released "Reggy" from any legal obligations to appear as a witness against Canfield, and he is now back in town enjoying himself for the first time in many months.

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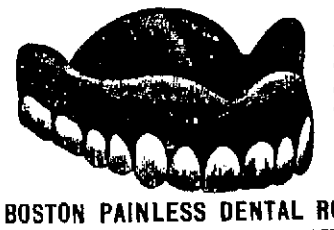
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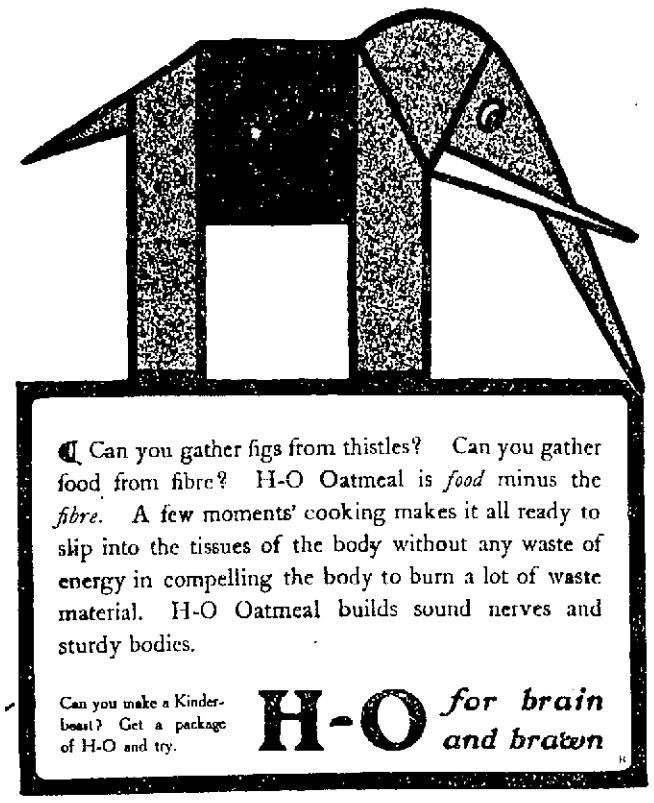
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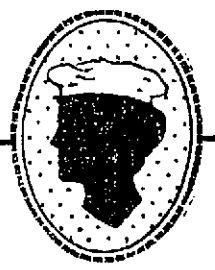
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THE SUN LATEST

5 O'CLOCK

COMING TO LOWELL

Mosely Commission Will Inspect Textile School

The Mosely Educational commission of Great Britain who are inspecting educational institutions in leading cities of this country, to determine their bearing upon national commerce and industry, has arrived in Boston from New Haven.

The members, drawn from prominent industrial and educational centers in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, are headed by Alfred Mosely, a prominent English manufacturer, through whose efforts the commission was appointed. He is the host. Other members are:

Arthur Anderton, alderman and chairman of the technical instruction committee of the West Riding County Council; Prof. W. E. Ayrton, late professor of natural philosophy in the Imperial College of Engineering, Japan, and now occupying the chair of physics in the Central Technical College; Prof. H. E. Armstrong, heading the department of chemistry at the City and Guilds of London Institute; Thomas Barclay, vice-president of the International Law Association, and a former Paris correspondent of the London Times, 1876-1882; Mayor Black of Nottingham; R. Blair, assistant secretary for technical instruction in the department of Ireland; Dr. J. R. Bradford, professor of materia medica and therapeutics, University College; President Coward of the National Teachers' union; J. G. Cockburn, late chairman of the Leeds school board.

Also Rev. Prof. Finlay of University College, Dublin; Sec. Foster of University College, London; Head Master Fletcher of the Liverpool Institute; W. H. Gaskell, university lecturer in physiology, Cambridge; Warden Gray of Bradford College; W. P. Groser of the parliamentary industry committee; C. J. Hamilton, secretary to the commission, and lecturer at University College, Cardiff; Chairman Heape of the Rochdale Technical School; Rev. A. W. Johnson of the London school board; Wm. Jones, M. P., for Carnarvonshire; Prof. Maclean of the Glasgow Technical College; Deputy-Chairman Rathbone of the committee on elementary education, Liverpool; Principal Reichel of University College, North Wales; John Rhys, professor of Celtic at Oxford; W. Ripper professor of engineering, Sheffield College; Chairman Charles Rowley of the Manchester School of Art; A. J. Shepheard of the London county council; Director Arthur Spencer of the Plymouth Girls' High School, and John Whitburn of the education commission, Newcastle city council.

The personnel makes plain the fact that this is the most important commission of the kind that has ever visited this country. The visitors will remain in Boston until Saturday evening, when they will start for the west. While here they will, of course, visit Harvard, Technology, Boston university and Radcliffe, and a considerable number of typical Boston public schools, the Mechanics Art High, Boston Latin, Roxbury High for boys and girls and others. Textile industries of Lowell and other cities nearby will also receive attention.

The commission will not move as a body but will split into small groups of two or three; in some cases one will investigate alone. By this policy much can be done in a brief period.

The commission will be too busy to accept much social attention, but a few affairs have been arranged for them.

The commission will visit this city tomorrow and will inspect the Textile school. They will be shown through some of the local mills.

POLICE BOARD

MANY MINOR LICENSES WERE GRANTED.

The police board met in usual weekly session at police headquarters last evening and disposed of a grist of routine business. The following licenses were granted:

Common victuallers—Mary Mathos, 119 Cheever street; Philomene Plese, 21 Pearl street; Rosie A. Cumming, 190 School street; P. E. Harris, corner Gorham and Middlesex streets; Hermeline Desjardines, 200 Aiken street.

Innholder—George H. Barrett, 123 Central street, New American house.

Express wagon—William J. Carroll, 51 Pond street.

Junk collector—Morris Schwartz, 115 Howard street.

Hawker and pedlers—Terence Sorahe, Chelmsford; Harvey L. Downs, 17 Seventh street; J. R. Blake, Hudson, N. H.

Hackney coach—Charles H. Tobin, 19 Austin street. His bond was accepted and placed on file.

The following common victuallers' licenses were revoked: Hermine Desjardines, 234 Aiken street; Philomene Plese, 28 Pearl street; Lenore Marion, 119 Cheever street.

Leave to withdraw was granted to Thomas Harrington on his application for a pool table license at 102 Lakeview avenue.

The common victualler's license of Alfie Frost, 2?4 Middlesex street, was revoked.

LAWSON'S OFFER

HE WILL PAY THE MINERS' UNION $250,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—Mr. Thomas W. Lawson, one of the largest stockholders, an offer to pay the miners' union a company, wired to Butte, Mont., yesterday an offer to pay the miners' union a commission of $250,000 for at once satisfactorily arranging an arbitration of the question of the price to be paid Mr. Heinze, for the mining property in that city.

MADE HER BLUSH

WOMAN SAYS GOWN WAS CUT TOO LOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—"The gown was so low cut that it made me blush," is the beginning of a lawsuit brought by Miss Edna Bronson of St. Louis against her dressmaker. Miss Bronson is prima donna in the "Fisher Maiden" at Hammerstein's Victoria theatre. Mme. Norma Brame of Madison avenue, near 49th street, is the dressmaker.

The gown cost $60, Miss Bronson says. It was to be worn in the second act of the operetta.

"I told her just how high in the neck the dress must come," said Miss Bronson yesterday. "There is a little charm that I always wear at my throat. It was given me in St. Louis. It has brought me good luck. I told Mme. Brame that a gown cut any lower than the charm hangs would offend my idea of modesty.

"The gown came home. There wasn't so much as a shoulder strap. I couldn't have worn it on the stage without making myself amenable to the laws of the state. My lawyer, H. ... tells me I had to have the police limit me."

Mme. Brame professed to be both amazed and amused by the suit to recover the price paid for the gown.

"It was cut in the prevailing fashion in accord with what our best New York women wear, no matter what ideas may prevail in St. Louis," said the dressmaker. "Miss Bronson will have to wear it in court. As they say in Missouri, she will have to show me.'"

BOWLING NEWS

Teams representing the Big Seven club and the Merrimack Fustian department bowled at Les Miserables alleys in [illegible] Merrimack street last night and the Big Seven won by 27 pins. Marsden of the vanquished team was high man with a three-string total of 258, while Henry of the winning team made a single string total of 95 in the last string. The Big Seven won the first and last strings, while the members of the Fustian department got the second string by five pins. The score:

BIG SEVEN.

	1	2	3	Totals
McGrall	82	73	70	225
Simpson	78	67	84	[illegible]
McLaughlin	72	65	82	[illegible]
Henry	71	83	95	[illegible]
Kildey	76	83	87	246
Total	380	371	420	1154

FUSTIAN DEPARTMENT.

	1	2	3	Totals
Stimpson	91	71	85	[illegible]
Marsden	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Varney	68	78	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clayton	76	[illegible]	82	[illegible]
Jones	52	79	66	[illegible]
Total	377	379	361	1117

COUNTRY CLUB GOLF

Following are the scores in the sixth competition for the Vesper Country club golf cup:

A. H. Butterfield	43	46	89	6	83
W. E. Stratton	48	45	93	6	87
J. Thorne	46	42	88	0	88
W. H. Bissell	51	54	105	11	94
C. F. Morton	48	[illegible]	[illegible]	5	[illegible]
T. Nesmith, Jr.	50	51	101	12	89
H. E. Shaw	55	55	110	17	93

Drawings for final in club cup for Saturday, Oct. 31: A. H. Butterfield vs. E. H. Gower, O. Hockmeyer vs. T. Stevens, C. F. Young vs. A. H. Morton.

Encouraging news of Mr. Walter H. Cowe, formerly of Lowell, but now of Rhoades, Arizona, has lately been received in the city. Mr. Cowe is engaged in the cattle raising business

YOUNG CORBETT WON

Hughey Murphy Put Out in the Eleventh Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—It took ten rounds and about a minute and a half of the eleventh round for Young Corbett of Denver, Col., the featherweight champion, to get the decision over Hughey Murphy of New York before 1500 people at the Criterion club last night.

Corbett forced the boxing from start to finish. Murphy put up a clever defence and landed many clever blows, but none of them were effective. At the same time he evaded many of Corbett's most dangerous blows.

Through the first five or six rounds there was practically no difference in the skill displayed by the competitors. In the tenth round Murphy had the better of it. He showed good judgment in evading Corbett's punches, and he also avoided in-fighting which is Corbett's favorite method.

In the eleventh round Corbett started in to get the decision and at the end of a minute landed a solar plexus blow on Murphy, following it up with a left on the chin, sending the New Yorker to the floor for the count. Murphy arose groggy and Corbett landed another left on the chin. Murphy fell across the ropes and lay there. He got up before being counted out, but Corbett noticing his condition, refused to continue the fighting, and the decision was given to the champion.

Murphy then fell his length on the floor, and Corbett picked him up and carried him to his corner.

NAMES ACCEPTED

The Aldermen Confirm Precinct Officers

The board of aldermen held a brief meeting last evening, at which they confirmed the five precinct officers named by the mayor and held up at a previous meeting.

Alderman Miskella presided and eight members were present.

After routine business had been transacted Alderman Derby introduced an order providing that all petitions for street and sidewalk repairs be referred to next year's city government.

Mr. Derby stated that there is now enough work laid out to keep the department busy for the remainder of the year and use up all its appropriation.

Alderman Gallagher opposed the order and it was defeated.

A joint order transferring $400 from labor to sundries in the commons department was adopted the appropriations committee having recommended the transfer.

After a brief recess the names of the precinct officers came up and the mayor's appointments were confirmed without discussion.

Adjourned.

ESCAPED DEATH

DUNCAN McLOUGHLIN HAD A CLOSE CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NATICK, Oct. 28—Duncan McLoughlin of South Framingham, aged about 21, had a narrow escape from death while working on a pole near the electric light station yesterday noon. He suffered a shock, receiving 2?0 volts, and fell from the cross arm to the ground, a distance of about 15 feet.

McLoughlin was unconscious. He soon revived and was taken to the Framingham hospital at his preference. He had no broken bones and his injuries consisted of severe burns on the hand and fingers and on the back. It is expected that he will be able to leave the hospital in a week or 10 days.

BOY ASTRONOMER

SAW GROUP OF SPOTS ON THE SUN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Col., Oct. 28—Herbert S. Howe the 13-year-old son of Prof. Herbert A. Howe, instructor in astronomy at Denver University, is said to have discovered at the upper edge of the sun's disc a new group of sun spots as great in magnitude and importance, it is said, as the group discovered by the scientists of the Washington observatory two weeks ago. The boy made his observations with a six-inch telescope in the observatory at University Park in this city.

Mrs. Ernest Lamothe, Master Leo, and Miss Cecile Lamothe spent Sunday and Monday with relatives at Revere beach.

NARROW ESCAPE

Prince Galitzin Nearly Assassinated

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFLIS, Russian Trans-Caucasia, Oct. 28—Prince Galitzin, governor-general of the Caucasus had a narrow escape from assassination yesterday on the outskirts of the town. Three natives stabbed the governor-general thrice. They fled but were subsequently shot down by Cossacks.

Prince Galitzin was driving with his wife when the would-be assassins rushed upon the carriage, daggers in hand. Two seized the governor-general and attempted to drag him from the vehicle while the third inflicted two ugly wounds on the prince's head and a third cut on the hand.

A Cossack who was in attendance upon his excellency threw himself upon the assailants. While a hand-to-hand fight was in progress the carriage was driven off at a gallop. Ultimately the assailants fled, followed by a mounted guard of Cossacks who had hurried to the scene.

The Cossacks chased the fugitives through the brush, firing constantly with their rifles. They killed one man instantly. The other two were shot down and died soon afterward.

After his injuries had been dressed Prince Galitzin attended a reception given by the citizens of Tiflis.

The outrage had produced great indignation, the governor general having become popular because of his interest in the welfare of the inhabitants. Owing to the excitement performances at the theatres were suspended. There is little doubt that the thickness of the cap worn by the prince saved his life.

Dispatches from Trans-Caucasia within the past month show unrest at Tiflis, owing to the transfer of the Armenian church part of the Russian government under the decree of June 25. Disquiet has been reported at various points in which quite a number of lives were lost and the Armenian church authorities are said to have threatened to transfer the headquarters of the Armenian Catholic church to another country.

Prince Galitzin, who was sent to his present post a year ago last April, was charged with having recommended the transfer of the church party and several times his life has been threatened.

ALL AMERICANS

HOW POPE CLASSES CANADIANS AND SOUTH AMERICANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Oct. 28—The apparent misapprehension under which an American prelate was laboring when he made the statement that several American clergymen would be nominated as cardinals is explained here by the statement that it is the custom in Rome to use the name "American" as applying to Canadians, citizens of the United States and South America equally.

If the pope [illegible] his intention to create several American cardinals [illegible] they should be Americans in the strict sense of the word.

South American countries, particularly Brazil, have repeatedly asked for cardinals.

It is probable that the archbishop of the [illegible] will be the first South American to be raised to the purple.

If this is done it will then be difficult to refuse the same favor to Mexico, which has a Catholic population almost equal to Brazil and even more difficult to extend the privilege to the archbishops of Buenos Ayres, Argentina and Santiago, Chile, where Archbishops [illegible] have been rivals for the red hat for years past.

It has been suggested, in order to make room for new cardinals, to reduce the cardinals in those countries [illegible] [illegible] which [illegible].

The suggestion [illegible] made to confirm the system inaugurated by Leo XIII to [illegible] about a better balance between the numbers of foreign and Italian cardinals.

OFFICER DOWNEY

CONTRADICTS A STATEMENT MADE BY SUPT. WHITCOMB.

Editor Sun:

Dear Sir: I wish to correct the statement made by Mr. Whitcomb, superintendent of schools. [illegible] [illegible] Downey was [illegible] by the truant school committee.

This is not so. [illegible] the truant school by the [illegible].

Trusting you will oblige me with space, I am, dear sir,

Respectfully yours,

HUGH DOWNEY.

GENERAL STRIKE

May be Ordered by the Bridge Workers

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—President Buchanan of the International Association of Bridge & Structural Iron Workers, who has been here several days endeavoring to patch up the existing difficulties between the iron league and the housesmiths' union, has received a letter from the secretary of the league refusing to meet the executive committee of the international organization.

The strike committee of the iron league says there is nothing to settle. It is through with all negotiations with the housesmiths' union and the members of the league are employing only members of the union formed by the building trades employers' association. Until the union expresses its willingness to sign the plan of arbitration the iron league will have nothing to do with it.

As the union is on record and unequivocally opposed to the signing of the plan, it is expected a strike will be ordered on all the contracts held by members of the iron league out of town in retaliation.

Men, it is expected, will be called out in Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New Orleans and Newark. The order would affect plants with lands and machinery. We have a population of 411,588 people of whom 52.9 per cent. are engaged in gainful occupations. Of this 52.9 per cent., only 4.3 per cent. are in the professions while 95.7 per cent or a total of 208,367 people, are engaged in agriculture, manufacturing, mechanical pursuits, trades, transportation, domestic and private service. Again, it is probably safe to estimate that at least 3000 young people enter upon active independent life in our state each year. Assuming this estimate to be correct and that 4.3 per cent. of them enter the professions, there are still remaining 2871 who engage in industrial pursuits. Would not these thousands of serious minded young men and women, annually starting out to make an independent living be more successful as bread-winners; would they not get more true enjoyment out of life, exert a wider influence on this community and take a more intelligent interest in the affairs of state if more of them had thorough training in the business upon which they enter?

I believe it to be the most important duty of this college to provide adequate training for these young men and women. Of course the college also has the further duty of extending its privileges to citizens of the state who are unable to attend its courses of study.

What we desire is that adjustment of studies and hours in the course which will give "depth without narrowness and breadth without superficiality." I believe that we should give much prominence to the long courses for the reason that four years is short time enough in which to give the necessary instruction in a sufficient number of cultural, scientific and vocational studies, 500 iron workers and probably 6000 men in the building trades in these cities who are dependent upon the work of the iron workers will be forced into idleness.

A meeting of the executive of the Merrimack Valley Cricket league has been convened by the president, Charles Waite, to be held on Saturday evening at the club house of the Lawrence Athletic C. C.

FEARFUL

Mrs. Farrar Relates Her Terrible Experience

WANTED TO DIE

Pain Threatened to Crush Out Her Life

"Can this be true?" inquired an attache of The Lowell Sun after listening to the story of Annie E. Farrar, Monday afternoon—a story which told of horrible nightmares, fearful dreams and terrible pain covering a period of nearly two months.

"Every word is gospel truth," she replied, "and I only wish I knew how to express myself better to describe my terrible experience, and the joy I now feel, for I know I owe my very life this moment to Dr. Bartlett's Vital Force. Mrs. Farrar's story follows, and our readers may judge for themselves:

"In July last, I was taken ill. Terrible pains like rheumatism pains were experienced in my feet and lower limbs. The pains were so severe at times that I would cry out when I had strength to do so. I could not draw two breaths in peace and comfort so intense was the agony of body and mind. Four different physicians were called. They did their best, but were unable to stop the pains which threatened to crush out all the life I had left in me.

"My nerves were completely unstrung; and my head pained me so with neuralgia that I thought it would burst open. Oh, how discouraged I was. When I did get a little sleep it was only to awake from a horrible nightmare or some fearful dream on account of my nervous state and the terrible pains. I had tried every known remedy which appealed to my case, but not one of them helped me. I read about several of the marvelous cures performed by Vital Force, and I determined to give this medicine, like others, a trial.

"When I went out to purchase the bottle I was so dizzy that I thought I would fall in the street so fearful was I with worrying and despondency. The first dose of the medicine seemed to give me courage. I grew better from that very moment. I used up the bottle and got another.

"Oh, what peace of mind and quiet nerves came to me as day after day came and went. My sleep was refreshing and my mind became clear and strong. The pains left me completely and my strength gradually came back to me. I knew before I began to take this great remedy that if I went to the hospital I would never leave it alive. Thanks to Dr. Bartlett's Vital Force—the remedy which restored my life and changed it from one of darkness and despair to one of health and happiness. I wanted to die, but now I want to live."

(Signed), "ANNIE E. FARRAR,

"143 Appleton St.

"Lowell, Mass., Oct. 26, 1903."

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atures are entirely different enjoyable than those of the bazaar and the large gather- t last evening appreciated the

aar was held in the vestry of h and the doors were thrown 5.30, though the bazaar was opened by Agent Connell of ont & Suffolk mills, who pre- the evening's festivities.

Alderman Derby will preside. McKinley will officiate on evening and on Friday ex- Westall will do the honors.

MR. MATHEWS, Pastor.

person entered the bazaar he ented with a souvenir pro- hich told where the booths ted and what might be pur- them, outlining also the en- nt program for the four

agreeable departure from the bazaar was the absence of all uessing or kindred contests lmost inevitable girl with the book was conspicuous by her

n prettily decorated tables osition about the vestry, while partments opened off the ves- e was a fishing pond, ven- entertainment and museum

the features was the grocery ith Thomas Gardiner as the cer. His assistants were Jo- liffe, Sam Ashquith and J. W. All the commodities found in a ulated grocery store were to ar market prices. This was Men's League department, e had side lights of furniture ware.

Ladies' Aid department the feature was a dry good store, with all the little articles dear to the femi- nine fancy.

The young people's department had a special feature in China and fancy goods.

The beverage table in green and pink was in charge of the lower class of Willing Workers, with Miss Maude Mountford and Miss Nellie Sladen as the matrons. As assistants there were 25 members of the class.

The fancy table abounded in all of the pretty things in the embroidery lines. The classes of Miss Jennie Cut- eridge and Joseph Fielding managed this department with forty assistants.

The infant department table was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, as- sisted by Miss M. E. Ogley, Miss Ma- bel Hurd, and Miss Ada Ogley. It was trimmed in blue and white. All sorts of toys and children's things were on sale.

The Mystery table was in charge of William J. McCready and William and Albert Fielding. The table was hand- somely decorated with the National colors.

The Ladies' Aid Domestic booth had the fancy goods feature. Aprons, sofa pillows, lace work, pin cushions, and "what not" were bunched on this table, Mrs. Clara Midgely, Mrs. J. Wilmot and Mrs. J. Bramhall did the selling here. The prevailing colors were lavender and white.

The flower table was busy throughout the evening and those in charge were Emma Manning, Miriam Hoyle, Joseph Potter and Thomas Woodcock.

The Wesley League C. E. table was divided into two sections, one for china and the other for fancy work. The table was trimmed in white and pink. The fancy section was managed by the following named: Mrs. William Thornton, matron; Miss Orpah Sut- cliffe, Miss Alice Scoble, Miss Mary Rhodes, Miss Luelia Laycock, Miss May Heap, Miss Ida Parkinson, Miss Emma Manning, Miss Zilpah Sutcliffe, Miss Ethel Greenwood, Miss Nellie Feindel, Miss Ida Wilkinson, Miss Isabel Cad- dell, Mrs. Geo. Grindrod, Harry Maden and Geo. Grindrod. The fancy china dept. was ably conducted by the follow- ing: Mrs. Chas. Hayes, matron; Miss Dora Heading, Miss Jennie Potter, Miss Alice Watson, Miss Jennie Spillane, Miss Lillian Richardson, Miss May Esther Dudley, Miss Sarah Howarth, N. W. Matthews, Jr., Frank Maden and Harry Anderton.

The candy table was managed by girls from the classes of Mrs. Mc- Cready and Miss E. H. Ogley. The names of the ladies who sold the sweets were: Emma Meade, Charlotte Hol- gate, Elizabeth Lees, Bertha Trickey, Edith Davis, Ida Boughton, Gertrude Humphriss, Nellie Rawnsley, Maud Hindle, Mabel Chapman and the Misses Edmunds.

The curio hall was of real interest to all for the curios were all genuine. George Bouring and Ellmaker Stark made the collection and showed their ability to select oddities. Among the curios were: Boxer swords, flags and garments; a collection of Filipino knives and swords, made by Sergt. Scott; a collection of warlike imple- ments taken in Cuba and Porto Rico by Private Davison, Co. C, Sixth Regt.; petrified snakes from Sweden and Nor- way; a walking stick gun from the Philippines; a collection of ores and minerals, made by Gus Ahlberg, and a varied collection of stuffed birds, given for exhibition by Carl G. Pihl.

The entertainment was begun at 8 o'clock and consisted of a varied pro- gram by Albert Leith and friends as- sisted by Mr. Leonard Galloway, ventriloquist, and Mrs. John Galloway, who operated a phonograph.

The farmers' supper drew a big crowd. It was served by Mrs. A. Hindle, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Mrs. Thomas Steel, Mrs. S. Medley, Mrs. G. H. Manning, Mrs. John Orrell, Mrs. J. A. Feindel, Mrs. S. Ogley, Mrs. J. S. Sykes, Mrs. J. Ashworth and Mrs. Edward Cornock.

The entertainment tonight will be given by Osmond Long and party.

The executive committee in charge of the bazaar consists of: N. W. Matthews, pastor; William Thornton, chairman; Thomas Gardiner, vice-

WILLIAM THORNTON, Chairman of Committee.

chairman; Ell Turner, secretary; Am- brose Hindle, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, Mrs. N. W. Matthews, Mrs. Albert Stopherd, Miss Dora Heading, Miss Elizabeth Ogley, Miss Maud M. Mountford, Messrs. Albert Stopherd, John W. Foster, George Bowring, Har- ry Maden, Walter Killerby.

RUNAWAY GIRLS

Forgiven and Taken Back to Their Homes

After weeks of wandering, and living in a questionable way, May Foley, 17, and Lillian Eno, 18, were confronted in the inspector's office at police sta- tion, this morning, the Foley girl by her uncle and the Eno girl by her father. The scene was a very pathetic one and the emotion of the officers who witnessed it was ill concealed.

Both girls belong in East Cambridge and they were arrested by Inspectors Donaldson and Maher in Mrs. Foster's restaurant, 220 Middlesex street, last evening. The condition of affairs at the restaurant was such that it was reported to the board of police and Mrs. Foster's common victualler's li- cense was revoked at the meeting of the board last night.

The officers said there wasn't food enough in the house to satisfy the hun- ger of one man and another feature of the house that the officers didn't like was a door opening into a Chinese laundry.

The girls were in the company of two young men when arrested. They claim- ed that they had roomed in Gorham street, but that their funds had given out. They had been in Lowell three weeks, they said, and admitted that their mode of living during those three weeks was not what would suit the lover of good morals. They claimed that they had been in the habit of tak- ing their meals at Mrs. Foster's res- taurant and that they owed her some money. They further stated that Mrs. Foster told them they could work for her and liquidate their obligations in that way. The officers, however, couldn't quite understand why Mrs. Foster would require the assistance of two girls when the restaurant was minus a square meal. The girls told the officers that Mrs. Foster had gone out during the forenoon and that she had locked them in the restaurant.

The girls at first claimed that they be- longed in Dover, N. H., but later admit- ted that they lived in Cambridge. It was plain to be seen that their straying paths had not been strewn with roses, in fact they seemed half glad to go with the po- lice. After finding out that they be- longed in East Cambridge the police of this city notified the Cambridge police and they notified the Foley girl's uncle and the Eno girl's father. May Foley is an orphan and has lived with her uncle for the last three years.

The girls were taken from their cells to the inspector's office this morning. They did not know that an uncle and father were waiting outside. In reply to questions by the police the Foley girl said she left home because the people with whom she lived were drunk all the time.

"Are you telling the truth?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Yes, that's the truth," replied the girl, and just then the door opened and her uncle appeared on the scene. In his pres- ence she told the deputy she had lied to him. She said her uncle was good to her and that there was no reason why she should have left him.

While May Foley was wiping away her uncle's tears Lillian Eno's father entered the office and before he had time to speak his daughter's arms were about his neck and the reprimand he had stored away melted into words of love and forgive- ness. With her arms still about her father's neck the Eno girl fainted and fell to the floor.

The matron was called and applied re- storatives. In the guard room while the girls were preparing to leave for home, the deputy, just to impress upon them that they had a narrow escape, told Mr. Foley and Mr. Eno that perhaps after all it would be better to go up stairs, swear out complaints against the girls and have them sent to the prison for women at Sherborn.

The deputy's suggestion so startled the girls that they fell on their knees and im- plored the men who came for them not to send them away. They promised they would never repeat the offence, and while neither of the men had any intention of prosecuting the girls, they pretended to weigh well the deputy's suggestion, and not until they had extracted certain promises from the runaways did they de- cide to take them home. One of the most important of the promises was that the girls should not meet each other again after their arrival at East Cambridge.

GETS $1,000,000

Settlement Made by Miss Goelet

IN RETURN FOR THE TITLE GIVEN HER

Sum Represents Her Entire Fortune

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—There have been so many statements made wide of the mark relative to the Goelet-Rox- burghe marriage settlements, some of the facts will be welcome. The settle- ment made by Miss Goelet upon her fiance has been variously stated at from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000. The real sum is $1,000,000, because at this time that represents into the private for- tune of the young woman.

By the provision of the will of the late Ogden Goelet, whose estate at his death was estimated at $10,000,000 one- tenth of his fortune only was settled upon his daughter. But later on she will come into possession of another million on the Goelet side of the house, with, of course, a million or so to be counted on from the maternal grand- parents, the R. T. Wilsons, whose mil- lions have been steadily increasing for years.

By the Ogden Goelet will the widow Mrs. Ogden Goelet, possesses for life the Newport and New York residences, with an income of $25,000 a year. The bulk of the estate goes to Robert Goelet, who upon final accession to the entire property will come into a full $10,000,000. At present his fortune is $100,000 per annum.

Should, therefore, Miss Elsie Whelan finally smile upon Bobbie Goelet after his present year of probation, she will come in for one of the largest incomes possessed by any of the young New York matrons.

The next few days will be immensely interesting ones, by the way, to Miss May Goelet, as during that time will be unpacked for her inspection the contents of the 18 or 20 trunks which, filled with the trousseau, arrived by a steamer yesterday, and, having been O. K.'d by the customs men, were forth- with delivered at the Goelet mansion on Fifth avenue.

Such a time as there will be trying on the half hundred gowns, the deli- cious coveted peeps at entrancing con- fections to the few favored friends, the chatter of the young people and the silent, busy army of importers' assist- ants making the necessary alterations —and last, but by no means least, the cast-iron and oft repeated orders to the new corps of servants not to breathe a word of any of it to any of "those horrid newspaper people."

ONE MAN KILLED

ELEVATOR DROPPED FROM EIGHTH STORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—One man was killed, almost instantly, and another sustained injuries which probably will result in his being maimed for life, by the falling of a freight elevator from the eighth story of the building being erected at 66 State street, yesterday afternoon.

William Nixon, 50 years, married, of 63 Brookline street, Cambridge, employed as a carpenter on the new building, died on his way to the hospital.

Guiseppe Minichiello, 22, of 261 North street, employed as a laborer, suffered a fracture of both bones of his left leg and contusions of the back.

Horse Blankets for stable or street use, at The Thompson Hardware Co.

BRYAN'S TRIP

POSTPONED UNTIL BENNETT WILL CASE IS DECIDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 28—William J. Bryan yesterday said that he had post- poned his trip to Europe, he having ex- pected to have sailed from New York to- day, and would not make any definite plans until after Judge Cleaveland had rendered his decision in the Bennett will case.

Mr. Bryan further said that the court had stated that possibly a week would elapse before the decision would be made public.

Mr. Bryan said he was uncertain whether to stay in New Haven or New York during the interval.

McCLELLAN LEADS

NEWSPAPER POLL MADE IN GREATER NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—The World to- day says:

McClellan leads Low by 3854 out of the 100,007 votes polled by the World's force of non-partisan canvassers up to date. Tuesday's canvass added 15,598 votes to the grand total, which amounts to about one-sixth of the whole vote to be cast in the five bor- oughs.

Grout leads Hinrichs by 4546 votes in a total of 99,024 votes for comptroller. It is therefore clear that little scratch- ing is to be expected. The figures indi- cate that the fusion and Tammany tickets are likely to be voted straight.

The race is so close that the problem is becoming excited. On the whole vote canvassed to date McClellan leads Low in Manhattan by 4595, and Low leads McClellan in Brooklyn by 741.

JOHN ELIOT SOCIETY.

The John Eliot Literary society met last evening at the residence of Mr. and Charles S. Proctor in Hovey street. Scotland was the subject for the meet- ing and the papers read by different members here on the history and liter- ature of that country, while there were readings from the Scottish authors and the music was of Scotland. Refresh- ments were served during the evening. Miss Katherine Ward had charge of the program.

VANDERBILT'S EXILE

REGINALD CAN RETURN TO NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Reginald Van- derbilt is back from exile. For months he has remained away from New York, except for an occasional flying trip here on Sunday, when he could not be served with legal process as a witness in the Canfield gambling house case.

Many of his friends, influential in politics and society, have called on Dist. Atty. Jerome to plead for the young man, urging that he be permitted to visit New York without fear of being drawn into the scandal, but Mr. Jerome refused to listen to these appeals.

The decision of the court of appeals last week in the case of Jesse Lewi- sohn, the recalcitrant witness in the Canfield case, in which it was held that a patron of a gambling house cannot be compelled to testify as to what goes on in the resort if it would tend to de- grade or incriminate him, released "Reggy" from any legal obligations to appear as a witness against Canfield, and he is now back in town enjoying himself for the first time in many months.

You will want a good looking Carv- ing Knife for Thanksgiving. The Thompson Hardware Co. has a fine as- sortment. Prices from 35c to $25.00.

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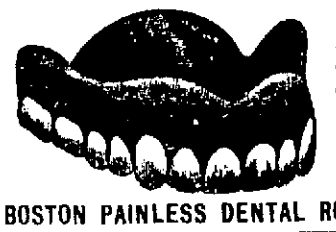

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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We will also have for delivery at manufacturer's prices, Neck Pieces and Muffs, in Sable, Fox, Isabella Fox, Marten, Mink, Ermine, Squirrel and several other high grade furs.

We cordially invite inspection during the balance of this week and we guarantee that purchasers at this sale will save the retailer's profit on the purchase.

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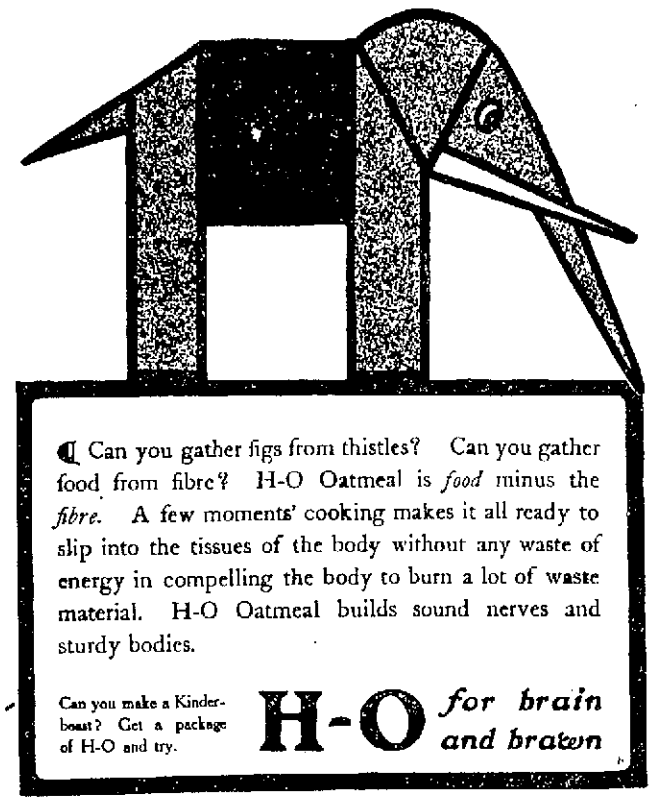

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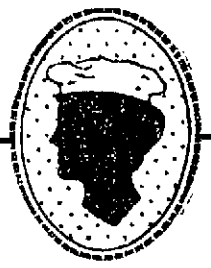

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STATE POLICE

Take Hand in Messenger Boys' Trouble

Many Girls Under 21 Years Were Discharged Today Because They Had Not Proper School Certificates—Boys are Confident of Winning

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—A new spirit of hope that they would regain their position seemed to fill the messenger boys of the Western Union Telegraph company as they assembled today near the company's office on State street. This was due to the passage of the order by the board of aldermen providing that the Western Union Telegraph company be compelled to remove all its poles within the city limits within the next two months, an order which they understood would be enforced unless they were restored to the places from which they were locked out.

As on yesterday, the collection and delivery of telegrams was carried on by girls and women messengers today.

In consequence of a complaint made to Chief Wade of the State police, that the Western Union company was violating the labor laws by employing girls under the age specified by statute, several members of the state police were ordered to investigate the complaint. The officers reported that they had found that no girl under 16 years of age was being employed by the company.

Many of those between the ages of 16 and 21, however, were not provided with the regular certificate which illiterate minors must have. They had been hired on the strength of certificates from school teachers. The officers reported, therefore, that there was a technical violation of the law.

After conferring with Chief Wade, Manager Nathan, of the Western Union Telegraph company, issued an order that all girls under 21 be discharged immediately, to be re-employed only upon the presentation of the regular school certificate provided by law.

SITUATION IN PROVIDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 27—The strike of the messenger boys in the Boston offices of the Western Union Telegraph company is but very indirectly affecting conditions in the local offices of that company. While groups of boys were seen discussing the plan of joining in a sympathetic strike with the Boston lads, it proved but boys' talk, there being but two or three who were agitating the movement. There is no union of the boys here and in the event of trouble their places could be filled instantly.

MASS. W. C. T. U.

Opened Convention in Springfield Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 27.—The annual three days convention of Mass. W. C. T. U. opened in Trinity Methodist church this afternoon, with 275 delegates in attendance. The convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. Catherine Lente Stevenson, and addresses of welcome were given by Rev. Eugene M. Antrim, pastor of Trinity church, and Mrs. M. L. Knell of Westfield, Mrs. Phoebe R. Clifford, president of the Plymouth county union, responded for the delegates. The State corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harriett T. Todd, reported that during the year 11 new unions had been formed and 650 names added to the membership. The address of the afternoon was delivered by Mrs. Stevenson, who reviewed the work of the year, pointing out its strength and weaknesses.

HEINZE SITUATION

HILL REFUSES TO DISCUSS THE QUESTION

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 27—James J. Hill when asked today if he had fixed a date when he could meet the mediation committee proposed to adjust the Amalgamated-Heinze situation in Montana, said: "I don't want to say anything about it. I have not decided on the date. If I can do any good I will be glad to do so, but I don't talk for publication, as publicity might do a great deal of harm."

TO AVERT STRIKE

COMMITTEE CONFERS WITH RAILROAD OFFICIALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—A joint committee, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, with Vice Grand Chief Ingraham of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Grand Chief Hannahan of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, conferred today with officials of the Interborough Rapid Transit company to arrangeif possible, a settlement of the the motormen of its elevated trains in differences between the company and Manhattan over the question of examinations and thus obviate the possibility of the threatened strike.

RHODE ISLAND CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 27.—The autumnal meeting of the Rhode Island conference of Congregational churches, which includes every church of that denomination in the state, was held at the Edgewood Congregational church today. The general theme of the conference was "The Holy Scriptures."

Among the speakers were Rev. Wallace Nutting of this city, Rev. F. H. Decker of Westerly, Rev. Charles E. Gordon of East Providence and Dr. George M. Boynton of Boston.

Ida Marie Rogers has closed her engagement with her company, having accepted a position with the Broadway Theatre of New York, with Henry Savage in a new production. Miss Rogers will not go to New York until the latter part of November. She has kindly offered her services to the entertainment committee of the Humane Society festival to appear with the talent of the Casto theatre, who will give their services to aid this charity at the fair Friday evening.

ADMIRAL BOWLES

Will Head Quincy Shipbuilding Company

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—President Thomas A. Watson of the Fore River Ship & Iron company of Quincy, Mass., in an interview on the announcement that Rear Admiral Bowles will become president of the company, said:

"As the president and largest stockholder of the company it has been my desire for a long time to secure the services of Rear Admiral Bowles in connection with out work of ship-building, as he is undoubtedly the man best fitted, both by education and practical experience, to take charge of our complicated and difficult work. Not being a naval constructor myself, I have held my position as president of the company until Admiral Bowles could be induced to accept the presidency of my company. His taking the position marks another step of the utmost importance to the development of the ship building industry of New England and the admiral enters upon his work under the most happy auspices. I shall retain my connection with and in the company as chairman of the board of directors."

Mr. Watson said his company had at present under construction three United States battleships, the Rhode Island, the New Jersey and the Vermont and protected cruiser Des Moines.

IN BAD SHAPE

CLAIR CONTINUES IN A COMATOSE STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27.—The anxiety of the friends of James L. Blair was increased today by the news that the patient was still in a comatose state. The grand jury will re-convene this afternoon to continue the investigation of the charges against Blair. New witnesses will be summoned but no intimation of their identity was given.

A crisis in Mr. Blair's is expected within the next 48 hours. President Francis, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, said today:

"James L. Blair, the former counsel of the corporation, is no longer connected with the exposition in any way. We do not owe him a cent nor does he owe us a cent."

Chief of Detectives Desmond has been trying for a month or more to locate Carey M. Blair, a younger brother of James L. Blair, and has not been successful.

BEGINS SUIT

KIMBALL WANTS $50,000 FOR SERVICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27—Alleging that he received no compensation for his work as agent in bringing about the sale of the Canada, Atlantic & Plant steamship company, Frank J. Kimball of New York today began suit in the supreme judicial court against Alfred S. Hayes, A. W. Perry and F. J. Daggett, the purchasers of the steamship line. The plaintiff declared that he was to have received $50,000 for his services as agent. He sues for alleged breach of contract.

COURT MERRIMACK, NO. 11, F. OF A.

Are to hold a reunion on Thursday, Oct. 29. A good time is assured for all. The tickets are 25 cents, admitting gentleman and ladies. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee will be served by the auxiliary Companions of the Forest and other lady friends of the court. Dancing. Music by Middlesex orchestra.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Cotton: Futures opened easy. Oct 10.10; Nov. 10.11; Dec. 10.23; Jan. 10.10; Feb 10.10 bid; March 10.16; May 10.23; June 10.20; July 10.20.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

NARROW ESCAPE

Big Derrick Fell at the Gas Works

WITH SEVERAL WORKMEN NEARBY

It Carried Away Northern Telegraph Wires

Employes of the Riter-Conley Co., now at work on the new purifier being erected for the Lowell Gas Light Co. in School street as well as the employes of the Boston & Maine railroad in the vicinity of the School street crossing, had a narrow escape from being killed this afternoon by the falling of a huge 80-foot derrick on the gas company's land. As it was many had narrow escapes and dozens of wires of the Boston & Maine railroad, telegraph and electric light companies were torn down.

The Riter-Conley Co. is erecting a purifier for the gas light company on the land which lies between the huge gasometer and the railroad track in School street. The foundation of the new building has been completed and recently the main boom of an 80-foot derrick was put in position, it being held by huge wire guys on all sides.

This afternoon at about 1.30 o'clock the people in the vicinity of School street heard a loud snapping sound of wires and limbs of trees and then a crash as though a building had collapsed. Investigation brought to light the fact that one of the guy wires holding the derrick boom had parted and in its downward flight the huge boom took limbs of trees and wires with it while the sound of the falling mass of wood terrified a number of people.

Many of the wires which were broken belonged to the Boston & Maine railroad and were used as signal wires to announce the approach of the train from the north and south, while several electric light wires and telegraph wires went down. The big tree at the School street crossing was shattered and almost every limb was torn off.

There were many people in the vicinity at the time, but luckily they managed to escape with their lives, not a soul being injured.

Traffic through School street was blocked for over an hour, that portion of the street between Rock and the railroad crossing being roped off. Traffic through this place was dangerous owing to the number of wires that were down. Extra precaution had to be taken on the railroad in order to avoid collisions also. After a little over an hour's hard work the street was cleared of the wires and the men were at work readjusting the derrick boom.

UNKNOWN MAN

Struck by an Electric Car in No. Andover

A man answering to the following description and giving his name as James Howard, lies in a serious condition at the Lawrence General hospital, the result of injuries sustained by being struck by an electric car on the Haverhill & Andover line in North Andover, last night: Age, 45 years, heavy build, five feet eight inches tall, gray eyes, heavy sandy hair, mustache brown. Wore black coat and vest, black overcoat, dark trousers, white collar, knitted black tie and button shoes, with derby hat. In appearance he resembles a foreigner. In his pockets were found a small amount of money, a pay envelope numbered 265, and marked $14. A clay pipe and tobacco were found also, besides a silver watch, numbered 8010920. The watch case was numbered 3268. No other articles were found on his person that would tend to reveal his identity.

He was struck near Massachusetts avenue in North Andover, shortly after 11 o'clock. The last car from Haverhill to Andover had just reached Massachusetts avenue, and the whistle had been blown, when the motorman detected the man walking in the car tracks. He was so close to the car the strenuous efforts of the motorman were insufficient to cause the stopping of the car. The victim was struck and thrown down. He was picked up by the car crew and it was seen that he was seriously injured. He was taken into the car and it proceeded to Andover, where Chief of Police Frye was notified. Chief Frye summoned Dr. J. P. Torrey, who gave the man medical attendance and ordered him removed to the local general hospital.

At the hospital the man is receiving skilful treatment, but the chances for his recovery are considered slim. His recovery is said to depend on how he passes the next 24 hours. Although it seems certain that he cannot recover, it is possible that he may. His right leg is fractured near the knee and on his head are five cuts, and two or three depressions that may possibly be fractures of the skull, and if his skull is fractured his chances of recovery are very slim.

This morning he rallied sufficiently to answer a question in regard to his name, and he repeated "James Howard" several times. It is believed that this is his name, but he did not sufficiently rouse to tell where he lives, and that is still unknown.

Medical Examiner George W. Dow examined him this morning and found the injuries above stated. The doctor reports him to be in a semi-comatose condition.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

DANGEROUS MAN

Bought Cigarettes and Scratched a Match

A woman who keeps a little store in the outskirts of the city telephoned to the police station this afternoon and inquired for Deputy Welch.

"This is the deputy," said the staunch Redmond, "What can I do for you?"

"I thought I would speak to you about burglars," she replied.

"What did you want to say about them?"

"I read in the paper that till tappers were in the city and I'm almost certain that one of them called at my store last Saturday night."

"Why do you think so?"

"Well, he looked as though he would do something like that. He had long slim fingers and funny eyes."

"Notice anything else wrong about him?"

"Well, he acted kind of queer, can't just explain, but you can imagine what I mean."

"You better watch out sharp," replied the deputy as he hung up the receiver.

A few minutes later the telephone bell sounded again. It was the same little woman and she wanted to speak with the deputy.

"What is it, this is the deputy?"

"How nice that you are always at the telephone."

"What is it?" asked the deputy rather impatiently. "I'm in a hurry."

"O, dear me, I'm sorry, but I forgot to tell you that that young man bought a box of cigarettes and lighted a match on the lock of my door."

"Guess he was trying to find the combination," suggested the deputy.

"That's just exactly what I thought," said the little woman and the deputy said "good-bye."

JUDGE FISHER

Believes Town of Billerica Can't Object

There is a difference of opinion between the selectmen of Billerica and counsel for the town, Judge Frederick A. Fisher, relative to the powder magazine question. Judge Fisher has not yet told the selectmen that the courts would not uphold them in opposing the Cartridge company, but he has talked so close to that line that the selectmen know about what he is going to say later. The judge said today that he did not want to advise the selectmen through the newspapers and he did not care to talk. He would not deny, however, that he intends to advise the selectmen to give up any thought of opposition to the Cartridge company.

SNOW ON GROUND

AS NEAR LOWELL AS DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Lowell men who came from the north this morning report that there is snow on the ground as far south as Dover, N. H.

FOR LARCENY

MAN ROBBED ANOTHER WHILE HE SLEPT.

Inspector Martin Maher, this afternoon, arrested Patrick Broderick on a warrant charging him with larceny. Broderick, it is alleged, stole about $12 in money from one Louis Gullette while the latter slept, a week ago last Saturday.

DEATHS

McCARTHY—John McCarthy, aged 25 years, died today at the home of his sister, Mrs. Peter Cullen, 137 Fayette street. He leaves to mourn his loss two sisters, Mrs. Peter Cullen and Mrs. Margaret Bouchard.

BEAUTIFUL EXHIBITION.

McManmon, the florist, invites those interested in flowers, to attend his exhibition of beautiful chrysanthemums and other varieties of cut flowers, plants, etc., at his conservatories at Dracut. Take the Lawrence car.

MRS. ATKINS RECOVERS.

Mrs. Jane Atkins, who was found almost dead in her room, 481 Merrimack street, yesterday, being overcome by gas, was released from St. John's hospital this afternoon and taken to her home.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, Odd Ladies, was held last night, and socials for the coming winter season were discussed. A pedlar's parade will be held by this organization on the ninth of next month. The admission will be free.

"TYPOS" FIGHT

Injunction Asked Against Boston Printers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—In the superior court today, Judge Braley postponed action on the bill in equity brought by the American Type Founders company against the International Typographical union, the Boston Type Founders' union, and other unions in the printing trade. The plaintiffs wished to restrain the officers of these unions from attempting to persuade the members of their organizations from breaking contracts, from establishing pickets or committing any acts intended to intimidate workmen engaged in their work under contract.

George Fred Williams, counsel for the defendant, stated to the court that he was not ready to go on with the case. Louis D. Brandeis, who appeared for the plaintiffs, argued that although he was willing to give time to the other side, he thought that, pending the trial of the case, there should be some sort of an order of injunction which might be in force.

Judge Braley made the suggestion that the counsel draw up a form of agreement that should then be entered by the court as a decree. This was accepted by the contending parties.

GOLD BURIED

PEOPLE IN VICINITY OF DUDLEY GREATLY EXCITED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27—People living in the vicinity of Dudley are much exercised over the rumor that $5000 in gold is buried somewhere on the "Vinton farm" in that place. The money is said to have been buried in the ground by two brothers, who accumulated it in the west but who lost all clue to the spot. One of the brothers died a few years ago and the survivor, now 80 years of age, has given up the search and consequently has given the rest of the world an opportunity.

CONFLICT EXPECTED

CLASH OF INTERESTS IN GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 27—In some respects it is said the annual stockholders' meeting of the Guardian Trust company, which will be held at the general offices of the company tomorrow, will be the most important the company ever held, for there promises to be a final conflict between the John W. Gates interests and those of the founder of the company, A. E. Stillwell, president of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad. Already several of the eastern stockholders who are members of the directory are in the city. Among them are H. H. Harris of New York, William D. Black of Philadelphia, Henry Barnes of New Haven and Edward Wagner of Berlin. These men are known to be allied with the Stillwell interests and they met informally to discuss a plan for regaining control of the company. A plan is said to be on foot to wind up the affairs of the company, according to one authority, in which, it is asserted, all the Stillwell interests will be centralized in the United States and Mexican Trust company which Mr. Stillwell organized to finance his newly projected railway, the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient. The latter proposition would not be discussed by stockholders now here.

N. H. Y. P. S. C. E.

SOCIETY OF LETTERS HOLDS ANNUAL CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 27.—About 800 members of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor in New Hampshire assembled here this afternoon. The annual convention of the organization was opened in the First Baptist church by Rev. Albert P. Watson, of Bedford. The visitors were welcomed by Rev. Dr. C. W. Richardson, pastor of the First Congregational church of this city. Additional addresses were delivered by State President Rev. James Alexander of Newport, N. H.; Benjamin O. Pillsbury of Concord, and by Miss Abby Jewett of Laconia. Rev. Francis E. Clarke, D.D., will speak tonight.

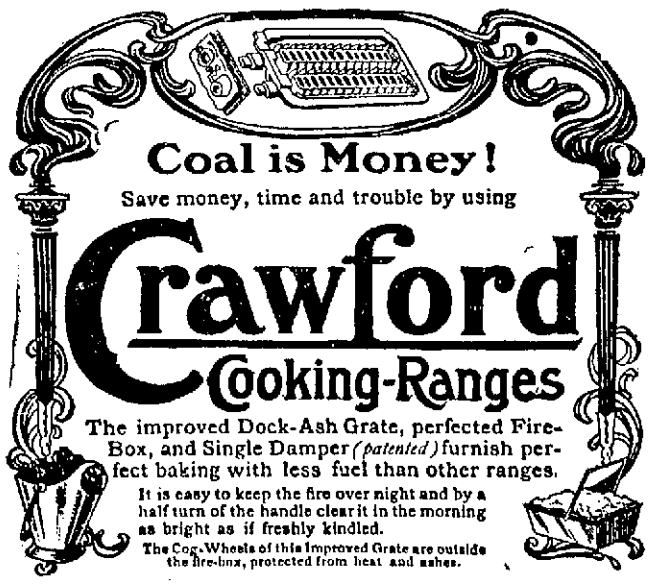
FIRST SNOW FALL

AT ST. JOHN, N. B., LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 27—The first snow fall of the season appeared during the night and early this morning throughout this province. In some places the snow was three inches deep. A heavy frost accompanied the downfall and the country today had a wintry appearance.

Miss Mabelle Higgins has accepted a position as operator with the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., Boston, Mass.



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RICE WILL CASE

Court of Appeals Decides Against Patrick

CONCURS WITH THE LOWER COURT'S JUDGMENT

Declaring Rice Will a Forgery

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The court of appeals today handed down a decision denying the appeal of Albert T. Patrick in the matter of the probate of the will of William M. Rice of whose murder he stands convicted.

The court concurs in the judgment of the lower courts that the alleged will offered by Patrick is a forgery.

The court affirms judgment without opinion.

45 YEARS OLD

President Roosevelt Observes His Birthday

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—President Roosevelt today celebrated the 45th anniversary of his birth. Many beautiful and touching reminders of the event came to him from every part of the country. Hundreds of telegrams and letters of congratulation were received at the White House during the day. When the members of the cabinet assembled for the usual semi-weekly meeting, they joined in extending cordial congratulations to the president. The cabinet rooms and the president's private office were filled with flowers.

Early in the executive day a committee representing the Hungarian Republican club of New York, of which the president is an honorary member, called to convey to him the annual expression of the club's good wishes and to congratulate him upon his birthday.

HAVE NEW CLUES

Cambridge Police on Fermoyle Case Again

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27—The murder of James H. Fermoyle, an Arlington painter found dead in the marshes in this city in August of last year, has again been taken up by the police here with the expectation, it is said, that arrests will soon be made. Several months ago Stephen J. Alphen and Robert E. Gallagher, who had been indicted on the charge of manslaughter in causing Fermoyle's death, were discharged in the superior court. In connection with the renewed activity by the police, Edward Hamilton was today held for the grand jury charged with breaking and entering and larceny at the Blake-Knowles pump works, East Cambridge. According to the police Hamilton was the companion of Luther Noble, the man who accused Alphen and Gallagher of murdering Fermoyle. Recently Noble was himself held for the grand jury on a breaking and entering charge. The Blake factory is adjacent to the marsh on which Fermoyle's body was found. The police intimate the possibility of a more serious charge against Noble and Hamilton.

POSTMASTER VAN COTT

DENIES ALL KNOWLEDGE OF PROMOTION SYNDICATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Postmaster Van Cott of the New York postoffice said today in regard to the announcement that the New York postoffice was to be investigated by order of Postmaster General Payne.

"Officially I know nothing of the proposed investigation as yet. Of alleged promotion syndicate, I have no knowledge. Of course if I knew such a syndicate existed here I would do my best to destroy it root and branch."

AT MINNEAPOLIS

NEXT UNIVERSALIST CONVENTION WILL BE HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The general convention of the Universalist church today chose Minneapolis for the meeting in 1905. There was a spirited debate over the status of the general superintendent. The committee on officials reports, headed by Dr. R. Johnnot of Chicago, recommended that he be elective by the board of trustees. Dr. Perkins of Massachusetts offered a substitution, making that official elective by the convention biennially and that he be president of the trustees. The substitute was lost and the committee's recommendation adopted.

There was a discussion over the resolution that the superintendent act as financial agent, but Dr. W. W. Pierce of Franklin, Mass., opposed this resolution, contending that the duties should be solely spiritual. Action of the recommendation was deferred.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

TEACHERS HOLD CONVENTION IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—The first annual convention of the Christian Science Teachers of the United States, which has been in progress at the First Church Christ, scientist, this city, for the past two days, was closed late this afternoon. Most of the teachers in attendance will remain in Boston until tomorrow in order to be present at the testimonial at the mother church.

WILL ORGA

Employers of Labor Also Organize

CONVENTION WILL BE IN CHICAGO

By the National Organizations

By Associated Press to The Su

CHICAGO, Oct. 27—Delegati senting a score of national t ganizations will attend a me be held here October 29 and 3 purpose of forming a national ers' association to deal wit problems.

The organization will be reaching it is said, among e as the American Federation o is among the working classe

A committee will meet tom draft a constitution and by- the proposed organization.

The program for the two da ing as at present outlined pro the discussion of the labor the establishment of an offici ization and the formation of the extension of the organiza every part of the country wi ployers have to deal wit unions.

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$20,000 MISSING

Cause of the Armenian Feud

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Hovagin Maroukin, assistant editor of Young Armenia, the Boston organ of the Old Huntchask, or Armenian revolutionary party, upon being advised today through the Associated Press of the murder of Sagatel Sagouni, president of the Armenian Revolutionary society in London, said that he considered the crime due to existing differences between factions of the revolutionary party. In explanation, Mr. Maroukin said that the revolutionary party was founded some years ago for the purpose of securing the freedom of Armenia from Turkish rule, and that in 1902, the party split over the question of socialism. With the separation, Mr. Maroukin said, came the disclosure by old party representatives that $20,000 previously collected for use in freeing Armenia had disappeared.

Immediately, as the organ of the old party, Young Armenia, began calling for an explanation of the disappearance of the money, failing to receive which it considered the claim established that the funds had been criminally diverted from the purpose for which they were collected. This claim, Mr. Maroukin says, angered the other faction which had taken the name of the New Huntchask and its adherents displayed a most bitter feeling toward the old party members. Recently the editor said the differences have assumed hostile proportions with the result that two assassinations and two attempts at murder had occurred, the killing of Sagouni being the latest. The first assassination was of a member of the old party at Cairo, Egypt. The second act of hostility was the attempted assassination of Kureghian in Boston last summer. The third, an attempt to murder a member of the party named Naverbek in Paris about two weeks ago, the fourth, as indicated, the assassination of Sagouni, president of the old party in London.

Mr. Maroukin expressed no doubt that all these acts were the outgrowth of the claim of the old party that the $20,000 fund had been misappropriated.

THREE DROWNED

MEN WERE RETURNING FROM SHORE LEAVE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The U. S. transport Kilpatrick arrived here today from Havana, by way of Portland, Me., bringing back to this country four companies of coast artillery, the last American troops to leave Cuba. Two companies, the 23d and 24th, were landed at Portland and the 18th and 21st were brought to this city.

Sergeant John Heffner of the 18th company and Jack Rogers, captain's boy of the transport, were drowned in the harbor of Portland Saturday night while returning to the ship from shore leave. The boatman, Fred Stanford of Portland, was also drowned. Quartermaster Sergeant William Hoover and Privates Black, Neal Dayhaw and Frank Rout who were also in the dory when it capsized, were rescued.

Of the two companies of artillery landed here the 18th will go to Fort Schuyler and the 21st to Fort McHenry at Baltimore.

WILL REORGANIZE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A committee of bondholders in the Denver & Southwestern Railway company has issued a plan looking to the reorganization of the company's funded debt in order to arrange for the prompt payment of the semi-annual interest on its general mortgage five per cent. bonds which fall due December 1.

The company was formed in December, 1899, with $2,000,000 of preferred stock, $3,000,000 of common stock and general mortgage of five per cent. bonds to the amount of $5,000,000.

A BITTER FIGHT

Parks' Trial Will be Hard Fought

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The second trial of Samuel Parks, the labor leader, on an extortion charge, was continued before Judge Newburger today. The care and discretion exercised by both the people and the defense in the examination of talesmen may be taken as an indication of the bitterness of the prospective legal contest over the case.

Parks is charged with taking $500 from Louis Schmidt in connection with the Tiffany Studios.

At the opening of today's session the court room was crowded with spectators and talesmen. None was admitted except those who could show proper credentials. Parks' followers were excluded.

When Judge Newburger took his seat the names of the special jurors for the Parks trial were called. Just then Parks came into court accompanied by a deputy sheriff and as he walked from the door leading from the passage of the "Bridge of Sighs" he scanned nearly every face in the room. Parks' lawyers shook hands with the prisoner, whose face wore an anxious look. He appeared a little more haggard and pale than on yesterday, but his eyes were keen and his jaws firmly set, indicating that he was full of fight as ever.

The examination of talesmen was resumed.

DOWIE'S HOSTS

HAVE VISITED ABOUT 400,000 HOMES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—At an early morning service in Madison Square Garden today, Dowie gave a brief address on "Covetousness," and also spoke about the work done by his followers here, saying that a great many converts had been made and about 400,000 homes visited.

He announced that public baptism would take place in the garden this week but that he had not decided when it should occur.

BARON GEVERS

HAS THREE JOBS FROM WHICH TO SELECT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27—The Associated Press is informed by a diplomat who has just returned from Europe that Baron W. A. Gevers, the Netherlands minister to the United States, has been offered the Rome, St. Petersburg or Constantinople missions and that he probably will accept the Italian post, that he may be near his aged mother, who is in Holland.

Baron Givers is absent on leave and official confirmation of the report is as yet unobtainable.

HAYS JURY

DISAGREED AFTER AN ALL NIGHT'S SESSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 27.—After being out all night, the jury in the suit of Major William B. Hays, disagreed and were discharged today. The case will be re-tried.

The charge against the mayor is misdemeanor in the removal of Samuel Moore, a Civil war veteran, from the employment of the city without just cause.

CREW EXHAUSTED

Worked at Pumps for Ten Hours

BRITISH SCHOONER WAS ABANDONED AT SEA

The Boat Encountered Heavy Seas

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Having on board the crew of five men of the British schooner Swanhilda, of Annapolis, N. S., which was abandoned at sea yesterday, 29 miles south by east from Seguine, off the Maine coast, the fishing schooner Fish Hawk arrived in the harbor today. The crew of the Swanhilda, having been working incessantly at the pumps for ten hours, were almost exhausted when the Fish Hawk which happened to tack across their bow, saw the distress signals and hastened to the rescue. Within half an hour, the Swanhilda went to the bottom, carrying all the belongings of the crew.

The rescued men are:

Captain J. W. McNamara, Mate Joseph Anderson, Cook Andrew Faulkner and seamen Ross Graham and Howard Graham.

Captain McNamara stated that the Swanhilda was bound from Edgewater, N. Y., to Windsor, N. S., with a cargo of 200 tons of coal. On Sunday afternoon, on account of the northwesterly gale, the captain ran under Cape Ann intending to make Salem for a harbor. Before reaching there, however, the gale increased in force and when the schooner was reefed she began to leak. The water gained steadily in the vessel's hold and she was gradually sinking when sighted by the Fish Hawk. With great difficulty, on account of the tremendous sea, in half an hour, two men in a boat from the Fish Hawk rescued the crew of the Swanhilda.

On reaching here the crew reported to the British consul who arranged for sending them to their homes in Nova Scotia, on the steamer Prince Arthur today.

The Swanhilda was built at Annapolis, N. S., in 1892, and was re-built six years later. She was of 120 tons net and 136 tons gross. Six months ago the Swanhilda was purchased by Edward D. Thompson of Parrsboro. Her value when lost is estimated at about $4,000 with insurance at two-thirds of this amount. Her cargo of coal was valued at $1100 and is said to have been insured.

REPORT DENIED

THAT WESTERN ROADS WILL REDUCE WAGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Emphatic denial is made here by representatives of several important western railroads to wide circulated rumors that a concerted effort was to be made by the western roads to reduce wages. The opinion was generally expressed that no such plan was under consideration and in some quarters it was said that such a move would not be feasible. Reductions in expenses are being made by the western roads in common with those in other parts of the country, but this is being accomplished in the main by reduction in shop expenses and in construction and improvement work.

STINSON ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH ATTEMPT TO EXTORT $10,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Joseph D. Stinson, said to belong to a wealthy family of York, Pa., and formerly attached to the census bureau in Washington, is under arrest here together with H. B. Gilroy, alleged to be the accomplice of Stinson in an attempt to extort $10,000 from a New York mercantile agency.

The general manager of the concern, in his complaint, alleged that Stinson threatened to sell secret records to rival commercial agencies. Gilroy was arrested in an uptown hotel.

GRUNDMAN IS DEAD

CRAZED BY HIS LOSS CAUSED BY FLOOD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Crazed by the loss of all his possessions in the recent Paterson floods, Frank Grundman, a florist, is dead at a hospital here.

Although he had a trying experience in rescuing his wife from death and then saving himself, it was the destruction of his hot house, in which he had numerous rare plants, and the loss of a flock of Japanese pheasants that shattered his mind. Grundman had spent several years in making the collection.

INSTANTLY KILLED

A CARPENTER WAS WHIRLED AROUND SHAFTING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELLOWS FALLS, Vt., Oct. 27.—While repairing a paper making machine at the International Paper company's mills here today, C. A. Southard, a carpenter, was whirled around the shafting and mangled to death. Death was instantaneous.

Southard belongs in Bristol, N. H., and had been employed by the company only a few weeks. A widow and several children, residing in Bristol, survive him. The body was taken home by the Odd Fellows, of which Southard was a member.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—Noon—Money on call steady at 2½; prime mercantile paper 5½ @ 7½.

Exchanges, $190,538,981; Balances, $11,289,564.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Donnelly of High street, are rejoicing over the birth of a twelve pound girl born Saturday.

TRIP POSTPONED

Bryan Will Await Judge Cleaveland's Decision

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 27.—William J. Bryan today said that he had postponed his trip to Europe, he having expected to have sailed from New York tomorrow and would not make any definite plans until after Judge Cleaveland had given his decision in the Bennett will case. He further said that the court had stated that possibly a week would elapse before the decision would be made public.

SAFE BLOWERS

MAKE ANOTHER BIG HAUL NEAR HALIFAX.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 27.—The third robbery within a few weeks in the northwestern section of the province occurred early today at Collingwood, a village near Oxford Junction on the Intercolonial railway.

Burglars entered the general store of Charles Braggs and blew open the safe with dynamite, carrying off $1700 in cash. The store was somewhat damaged by the explosion.

There is no clue to the identity of the burglars.

HANGED HIMSELF

NEW BEDFORD MAN SUCCUMBS TO DESPONDENCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 27—John M. McLeod, a well known carpenter and contractor, a resident of Dartmouth, committed suicide last night and was found this morning, by hanging. McLeod has been in ill-health for a year or more and during the past three months has suffered considerably. This morning about sunrise Mrs. McLeod looked out the window and saw her husband hanging from the cherry tree by a rope around his neck.

ADMIRAL RAE

REPORTS ON WORK OF STEAM ENGINEERING BUREAU.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The annual report of Rear-Admiral C. W. Rae chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering, for the fiscal year ended June 30, last says:

"The report of the liquid fuel board when published will be of inestimable benefit to the manufacturing, maritime and naval world, and will show the far-reaching benefit of careful, conscientious and extended experimental investigation. Neither in extent nor in character have these tests been equalled either at home or abroad and the bureau feels assured that when the results of the experiments are made known that the necessity and advisability of conducting extended investigation in other directions will be made manifest."

The report earnestly requests the detail of junior line officers as assistants to the naval inspectors of material, in order that the training that they would receive may fit them for the important duties of inspectors in charge.

Reviewing the needs of the bureau at the different yards, the following recommendations are made for the yards named:

Portsmouth, N. H., entire set of buildings for the bureau; Boston, power plant; New York several new buildings; League Island, additional tools; Norfolk, auxiliary machine shop; Mare Island, appropriation for remaining buildings proposed for the new plant; Puget Sound, pattern shop, power house and administration building. Key West, new foundry; Pensacola, complete outfit of shops.

The estimated cost for tools and machine plant at Charlestown is given as $250,000.

RUNNING OVERTIME

TIN-PLATE COMPANY HAS RUSH OF BUSINESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Oct. 27.—The plant of the McKeesport Tin-plate company has been placed in full operation and every department of the plant is working triple turn. An official states that the company has orders booked to keep the plant in full operation until after the first of the year. The mills at the W. D. Wood plant have also been placed in operation. At the National Tube Works, where several departments were closed last week, work has been resumed.

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DRESSER HEARING

Further Testimony in Bankruptcy Case

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The hearing in the bankruptcy proceedings of the firm of Dresser & Co., of which Daniel Leroy Dresser, formerly connected with the United States Ship-building concern was president, was resumed today before a referee. At former hearings four witnesses testified that he had certified blindly that the securities deposited for the benefit of the creditors by promoters of a Staten Island realty company who wanted Mr. Dresser as president, was worth $800,000, whereas at the time of the deposit they knew nothing of the value of the stocks and bonds delivered in a closed package to C. W. Youngman, president of the corporation finance company. Mr. Dresser was the first witness.

After the delivery of the securities to Mr. Youngman, Mr. Dresser said Mr. Youngman told him he was satisfied with the certification of $800,000 of the securities and that the rest was undoubtedly all right. Afterwards M. C. Quinby, chief promoter of the company, gave him a list of the stocks now known to be incorrect.

A number of questions were asked regarding Mr. Dresser's connection with the U. S. Ship-building company and the Trust Company of the Republic, and Mr. Dresser said his failure was due to the loss of $570,000 in the stock of the trust company. His interest in the ship-building affairs was only in connection with the trust company. He said that in November he had received about $500,000 of the common and preferred stock of the ship-building company which he had sold at once for $100,000 and put the money into his business, his credit being curtailed on account of the fall in the trust company's stock from 370 to nothink.

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Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

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Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.40, 6.24, *6.39, x6.46, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.06, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.40, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, a3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.29 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.10 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.00, 1.03, *1.33, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 5.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *1.39 (to Franklin only,) 5.40, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. 5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *1.8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

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TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 603 Merrimack street.

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TO LET—At 1087 Middlesex street, tenement of seven rooms with all modern improvements, in new house. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—On Walker street, nice tenement and stable will be vacant Nov. 1st. E. W. White, 137 Central street.

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TO LET—Cottage house, recently put in good order, in Hatchelder place, off Walker street. Key next door.

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TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $8, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $3.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $8, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $8.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

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Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 201 Middlesex street.

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FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS—We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by board of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamps. Department 84 A. Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg, New York.

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FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Outlet, 22 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

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RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 154 Merrimack street.

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MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kralgen, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

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LOST—Beaded silk bag containing sum of money and other articles between Merrimack square and post office. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Monday night on Merrimack street, a Boston bag containing small sum of money. Finder will please return same to salesman No. 9 at Merrimack Clothing Co. and receive reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, monogram on case, somewhere between Durant and John streets. Reward for return to 117 Durant street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtuckettville.

LOST—Pair of glass-cut rosary beads Sunday between St. Joseph's church and Merrimack square. Return to 739 Aiken street. E. S. Demarias.

LOST—$10 bill either on Lawrence street car or on Lawrence street. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

LOST—Lady's black silk belt with fancy colored metal buckle, on Merrimack or East Merrimack street. Suitable reward at The Sun office.

COLD PROOF

Do you wear a "chest protector?" Why? Because you are "sensitive to colds" or "have a weak chest." Your underwear should give your chest all the protection necessary. If you are wearing underwear that makes you think you need a chest protector, throw away the underwear with the chest protector. Then get

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

The Socialist bugaboo will vanish about election day. There is no coal famine this year.

Every business man in the city will sympathize with Mr. Shattuck in his business reverses.

According to the rules of the local division of the street railway there is no excuse for a rear end collision.

J. L. Chalifoux is booming Olney for the presidency in the south. He has made a good selection. Olney is the ablest man yet mentioned for the office.

The committee on public baths have inspected some good models in Boston, but as we learned years ago they are too expensive to be copied by the city of Lowell.

It is a commentary upon the state police regime in Boston that one policeman is held for the grand jury on the charge of murder and another on the charge of assault and attempted robbery.

The Boot and Shoe Workers' union of Lynn, backed by the American Federation of Labor, is in deadly conflict with the Knights of Labor of that city. The enemies of organized labor can afford to look on with equanimity.

A Boston paper seems to express a degree of skepticism in announcing that a certain gentleman of that city has lived to the age of 81 years without using liquor of any kind. The old "soaks" believe such a thing impossible.

The president will again endeavor to force the ratification of the Cuban reciprocity treaty at the extra session of congress to assemble next month. While banks are almost daily going to the wall, the country will expect congress to take some action to restore stability and relieve the money stringency that seems to be causing so much trouble in financial circles.

It remained for a Connecticut lawyer to attack Mr. Bryan's character and attribute to him selfish motives in connection with the probate of a will in which Mr. Bryan was beneficiary and executor. Mr. Bryan, however, stands above fear and above reproach. There is no more noble character in public life in this country today.

Is it not a bit queer with Burchard, yet unforgotten that so many clergymen as soon as they enter a political campaign resort to the tricks of alliteration. In New York, Rev. Dr. McArthur denounces Tammany as "organized greed, graft and grog," while Rev. Dr. Lorimer designates it a combination of loot, lust and lawlessness, all of which affects Tammany about as much as water thrown upon a duck's back.

There need be no particular dread from the location of powder magazines at the proposed site in Billerica if they are constructed on the right plan, if they are put under ground and properly protected. The location of the magazines will injure the surrounding property for building purposes as after the experience at Riverside Park nobody for the next fifty years will want to reside close to such a magazine.

THE GAYETY OF AGED SENATORS.

It is now the fashion for aged senators at Washington to have young wives. Platt at 71 married a widow of forty and left a young lady to sue for breach of promise. Depew, not quite so old, took to himself a young wife, and now Senator Stewart at 76 elopes with a charming widow. There seems to be no scarcity of widows ready to sacrifice themselves in this way where the senator has succeeded in accumulating enough to make it an object to the ambitious young woman.

A PROFITABLE COMPETITION.

A unique competition was brought to a close at the annual meeting of the Village Improvement society of Billerica Monday night. The Talbot mills had offered a variety of prizes for the best kept premises, vines, window and porch boxes, flower gardens, and vegetable gardens. The competition has resulted in the beautification of the houses, premises and gardens not only of the competitors but of many others who though not wishing to bother with the competition, did show a determination not to be outdone by their neighbors in the various improvements mentioned. This is but one of many praiseworthy improvements inaugurated by the Talbot company. They have the interests of the town sincerely at heart. What a different state of affairs would prevail here in Lowell if the owners of our mills lived here and manifested such a keen interest in our city as the Talbot family shows for Billerica!

GASTON FOR REDUCED EXPENDITURES.

Colonel Gaston stands for a reduction of the expensive commissions which have contributed so largely to the extravagance in state expenditures in recent years. He points out very clearly and forcibly how each commission is pulling for more money for its special department and that in this way the aggregate expenditure is driven to excess. To lessen the evil he would consolidate several commissions and thus cut down the salary list and office expenses. Gov. Crane accomplished considerable in this direction but Governor Bates has shown no business capacity sufficient to cope with such important business. His lack of business sagacity was shown in his transactions with Holden and in his appointment of Emmons as police commissioner.

CHANGE OF ADMINISTRATION NEEDED.

Campaign orators may turn the issues over and over, they may twist and distort and chop them up but they cannot put them more plainly before the people than did Richard Olney in his letter to the Massachusetts club when he pointed out the evils that inevitably result from the unbroken tenure of office of one political party for a long number of years. The truth of that is shown by the rottenness of the postoffice department and of the similar condition of the interior department where land grafting has become a fine art. In the state governments the same principle holds goods. Its force is demonstrated in Pennsylvania and in our own state. The republicans have forced up expenses of all kinds and forced grafters into lucrative positions until the taxpayers throughout the state are complaining of the burden. The annual interest bill of $2,800,000 is too much for the state of Massachusetts.

The republicans have been so long in office that they have become reckless and corrupt. It is time to have a change. Give the democrats a chance.

SEEN AND HEARD

The newspaper cuts of Ezekiel M. Ezekiel, democratic candidate for secretary of state, make him look like Major Allen, the milk inspector.

Rev. John B. Delaney, the Lowell boy who has become prominently identified with the Catholic church of New Hampshire, has won new laurels by securing for graduates of the parochial schools admission to the high school without examination. Lowell still holds to the examination.

The North Andover assessors have announced the tax-rate as $14.50 per thousand, which is an increase of $2 per thousand over last year. The value of real estate is $8,175,670 and of personal estate $1,634,610. The number of polls is 1264.

Greenleaf C. Brock, the Centralville druggist, who is treasurer of the Middlesex chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, read an essay at the last meeting of Suffolk chapter in Boston on "John Hancock."

Rev. Edwin Smith of Ballardvale, who was buried yesterday in that town, was the father of Rev. Edwin R. Smith of Farmington, Me., who is about to assume the pastorate of the Pawtucket church, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett of this city announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hattie Belle to Mr. Thomas Adams Remington of Boston. Mr. Barrett is the well-known painter and paper-hanger.

"A mothers' meeting" was held in Boston last week, and the mothers listened to a talk on "A Tramp Abroad," had a tea and indulged in gossip—all of which must have been very useful to the mothers. But too many "tramps abroad" are inimical to home duties, yet perhaps tea and gossip are really essential.

Strange rules are in vogue in Derby, Conn. It costs ten cents to have the contents of a garbage can emptied and carted off. The milk men have a novel method of insuring pay for their milk. Checks are sold to their customers at five cents each and one of these checks must be attached to the milk bottle or can every evening upon retiring, for if there is no check with the milk bottle or can, it is a case of "no checkie, no milkie."

Department stores have troubles of their own.

"I want to get a dog collar," said the customer.

"Yes, sir," replied the clerk, who had recently been transferred from the haberdashery department. "What size shirt do you wear?"

The late Mary P. Roges of Salem, who left thousands of dollars to colleges and other semi-public institutions, was a relative of the late ex-Mayor Dimon.

Says a local merchant: "The Sun is doing good work in its crusade against fast automobile riding. Some of the auto drivers act as if they owned the road exclusively, and any movement to curtail their autocratic ways deserves encouragement. The fast ones are usually non-residents.

Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of the United States, says the stock of gold presents an interesting and important problem. No doubt of it, and the most interesting and important is how to get hold of a portion of the pile.

DR. HALE'S RULES OF LIFE.

Rev. Dr. Edward E. Hale, the oldest living pupil of Boston schools, addressed the pupils of a grammar school in that city, last week, and being asked what his working rules of life were, replied: "Live in the open air all you can; touch elbows; every day speak to your superiors."

EVENING SCHOOLS CRITICIZED.

Observers of the methods employed in the night schools declare that a foreigner can learn and adapt himself to the English language much quicker when taught by teachers that understand their native language; that the methods pursued in the night schools are only applicable to the teaching of children, and are entirely out of scope and inadequate in teaching men and women.

THE TYNGSBORO ROUTE.

The people of Nashua fear that the Boston & Northern road will not connect with the Tyngsboro line this year, as expected. On Dec. 31st next, the franchise runs out, and officials of the company will not state whether or not the road will be built. "This road," says a Nashua man, "would make an ideal electric line to Lowell."

A VERY PECULIAR CALF.

A freak calf, a rare monstrosity, was born to a fine milch cow, that deserved a better fate, at the Meadow Hill farm, in Pelham, a few days ago. The calf was a series of misplaced hoofs, legs, tails and heads. You couldn't tell which was which and the fond mother couldn't throw any light on the subject. Despite the extreme oddness of her offspring she cared for it tenderly. The calf was killed in order that the cow might be saved. Its sojourn in this world was brief and as no special request, relative to the disposition of the body, was made, it was turned over to a physician who will stuff the corpse and send it to a museum. A great many persons viewed the calf, in death, and one woman pronounced it a "comedy of errors." It weighed about 75 pounds and had two perfectly formed heads. A leg with the usual hoof attachment projected from between the heads and at the other end of the body were two tails and an assortment of legs. The Pelhamites thought it a wonderful thing when one day an old resident walked into town with an odorless skunk but the freak calf has the odorless skunk beaten a mile or more.

HUNTINGTON HALL REMINISCENCE.

Who in Lowell recalls when the floor in Huntington hall sank and a catastrophe was narrowly averted? It was on the evening of Oct. 28, 1856. That great lawyer, Rufus Choate, a Whig all his life, decided to vote for Buchanan, and his one and only speech of the campaign was made in Lowell. Huntington hall was packed. Gen. Butler presided, and had hardly begun to make a preliminary address when a dull, heavy sound like a distant cannon was heard—the floor was yielding. The audience became frightened, but were assured of safety. Mr. Choate began and proceeded for nearly half an hour, when again the ominous sound was heard, and the floor was felt sinking as before. Mr. Choate paused, and the fears of the crowd were again quieted by Gen. Butler's assurance that he would go and ascertain the condition of things and report. He went and to his horror found that several of the rods by which the floor was sustained had drawn through the timbers, that the ceiling below in the depot was opening and that the slightest jar was likely to collapse the whole building. Comprehending the peril, Gen. Butler made his way to the platform, and calmly advised the audience that while there was no immediate danger, it would be best to quietly leave the hall. "This is the place of greatest danger," he said, "and I shall stand here till all have gone out." Not till all were safe did they comprehend how near to a catastrophe they had been, to which that of the Pemberton mill might have been a mercy.

STERN HELD

TO AWAIT ACTION OF GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The preliminary hearing in the case of Leopold J. Stern of Baltimore, indicted for complicity in the postal frauds, was concluded in the police court yesterday and Stern was held in $500 bail to await the action of the grand jury which was furnished and he was released.

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The Norfolk suit prices here range from $2 to $9.

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SOME CYCLE NEWS

Rain Affected Racing During Past Season

AND BIG MOTORS INJURED THE TRACKS

Salt Lake's Success Arouses the West

While these large pacing machines used this year have proven safe and reliable, with not a serious accident since May 30 to their discredit, there is one argument against their continued use that cannot be refuted. They have played havoc with many tracks, and confined cycle racing to the Eastern New England district—that is, paced racing. They are too heavy for some tracks and too fast for others.

Some of the old time tracks, upon which records have been broken, have been entirely out of the question for the new pace. During the last month the old Baltimore track was condemned by the building inspectors. The fast Washington track is a thing to be avoided under the present racing conditions. Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Springfield have been abandoned this year, and Pittsburg, Dayton and Springfield (the two latter in Ohio) have been too far from the centre of activity of paced racing. This has confined racing back of pace to Boston, where it thrives and has its home. But in the Boston district many tracks have suffered through the big motors. Many surfaces must be rebuilt for next season, as the large 500-pound machines have thumped the very underpinning from under them and split surfaces into kindling wood. Today but one track thoroughly suitable for the big motors is available, and that track is Charles River Park.

Whether other tracks will be constructed remains to be seen.

Owing to the weather conditions this year most of the tracks lost money. Some were heavy losers, and few more than broke even. In June and August there were thirty-five rainy days. With such conditions existing, money making was entirely out of the question. The outlook, therefore, for track-building is not very bright.

During the past year three new tracks were constructed. While none made money, the outlook for at least two of these new tracks is promising. Charles River park and Lowell will be money-makers. The latter, although new, will have to be reconstructed, as the big motors have already weakened the supports, causing the track to sway badly while the big motors are going around.

In one city, however, cycle racing has proved an unqualified success. The Salt Lake City (Utah) track has again coined money. Salt Lake's success has resulted in a general feeling of confidence all through the west. This has resulted in applications being made for franchises for Denver, Pueblo and Ogden. These three cities, and Salt Lake City promise to form the nucleus of a prosperous western circuit which will draw largely from eastern territory next year, as it has done this year.

Track building and cycle racing in Salt Lake City was inaugurated four years ago, largely on bluff, which won. The Salt palace management was asked to build a track. They wanted some guarantee of attendance. Cycle enthusiasts easily secured thousands of signatures of people who promised to attend the races. The construction of the track followed, and apparently all who signed those papers did so with every intention of keeping the promise. Races were run once weekly, then twice, and finally thrice, yet the crowds came. Nor was the second year less successful and the third saw no cheapening away in the interest. During the season just ended two meets weekly have been promoted with success. Salt Lake has seen good racing, and seen racing as advertised. The promoters have kept faith with the people.

MRS. RICHARDS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Harriet Alice Richards, state regent for Wyoming of the Daughters of the American revolution, and wife of the commissioner of the general land office, died here last night of heart trouble. She was 48 years old and left three daughters. She was a descendant of that branch of the Hunt family who served as Minutemen at Lexington, and assisted in building Concord, Mass.

REV. ROBERT HASKINS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 28.—A special from Gardner says:

Word has been received from Counsore, India, of the death there of Rev. Robert Haskins, a missionary of the Methodist church in India, who has labored in that field since 1868. He was widely known throughout the New England conference.

STEAMSHIP SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 28.—A special from Beaufort, N. C., says:

"The steamship City of Everetts, from Pensacola, Fla., bound north, for which so much anxiety has been felt, has arrived at Cape Lookout light for harbor, with her machinery slightly damaged.

ANNUAL MEETING

All Probation Officers in Massachusetts

WILL MEET AT THE STATE HOUSE TODAY

Probation System Is a Good Thing

All the probation officers in Massachusetts will meet at the state house today. The conference was called by the prison commissioners and a member of that body will preside at the meeting. The probation officers met last year for the first time. The object of the conference is to further the acquaintance of the officers and also to increase the benefit of the probation system by exchange of ideas and general discussion.

Probation Officer Slattery of this city will attend the conference and will undoubtedly carry with him a few good suggestions as his work during the three and one-half years that he has held the office has been most beneficial to all concerned.

Mr. Slattery has about 200 probationists under his care at the present time and his Saturday visitors number anywhere from 50 to 100. In reply to a Sun reporter's question yesterday, Mr. Slattery said that with very few exceptions the probationists report faithfully. This is particularly true in the case of small boys who have been before the court for larceny. Judge Hadley is disposed, instead of imposing a fine, to give the boys a chance with Mr. Slattery and the success of the judge's plan is evidenced by the fact that a juvenile probationist rarely finds his way back to the police court. To impose a fine would mean, in the majority of cases, embarrassment to parents and the probation officer, by keeping after the boys, not only influences them to avoid a repetition of former offences, but he also helps them in other ways.

The work of the probation officer, however, is not confined solely to the care of probationists. It is not generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that a great many complaints that are entered are never aired in court. If the complaint has to do with a disruption in a family, Judge Hadley instructs the probation officer to seek out the parties that are at auger ends and Mr. Slattery is generally very successful in bringing about a reconciliation, thus sparing parties the humility and disgrace of a police court trial, that they, in their angry moments, would precipitate. The probation system is a good thing in many ways.

COLLIERIES CLOSED

ELEVEN PLANTS DECIDED TO SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The eleven collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company in the Shamokin district, employing about 7000 men and boys, shut down last night and will remain closed until the day after election. The remaining collieries of the Reading company, all the mines of the Lehigh Valley Coal company, the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and some of the operations of the other companies will close today for a week. More than 60,000 men and boys are affected by the shut down. The action of the companies in suspending operations is due to the fact that two holidays fall within the next week, Mitchell day (October 29), and election day.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

The two last performances of Hal Reid's "A Homespun Heart," will be given this afternoon and evening at the Academy of Music. This comedy drama has proved to be a grand drawing card and is well worth the patronage of the theatre-going people of this city.

Friday night Al. Reeves and his big burlesque company will open a two nights' engagement with a matinee Saturday afternoon. The company is playing at Ottawa tonight and will be unable to reach Lowell until Friday evening. The company is a good one and some marvellous vaudeville acts are included. Two new burlettas will be introduced entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon," and "A Merry Go Round." The banjo king, Al. Reeves, is equipped with all new songs and funny sayings which have been written expressly for him. Other turns include Andy Lewis and company in "The Tout," the Tossing Austens, Devine and Williams, the marvellous Van der Koor, the Newell sisters, Katherine Dahl and Fannie Thatcher.

COMEDY BILL AT THE CASTO.

The current program at the Casto is a most pleasing one and the large audiences manifest their appreciation by hearty applause throughout the performance. The act of Ferrar, Cole & Company, entitled "His College Chum," is a very clever idea, and the lines are exceedingly witty and the situations most laughable. Frank Fogerty is an Irish comedian of the highest order and his stories are entirely new. The Marvelous Merrills in their astounding bicycle act, Rosaire and Taft in a side-splitting comedy acrobatic act, and the Big Three Minstrels are only a part of an excellent program.

WON BY JENKINS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 28.—The wrestling match for the championship of the world, which took place at Old City Hall, this city, last night, between Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, O., and Dan McLeod of Canada, was won by Jenkins, he taking first and third falls.

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IN STRAIGHT HEATS

Argue Took 2.30 Pace at Nashua

PLENTY OF EXCITEMENT IN 2.25 TROT

Two Races Put Over Until Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 28.—The closing meet of the New England half mile circuit opened yesterday under conditions favorable neither to the horses nor to the large crowd that had been attracted to the track. Owing to the large number of entries in the 2.25 trot only one race of the three on the card was concluded. The large field in this trot furnished several hair-raising accidents which served in a way to counteract the chill in the atmosphere. Argue, though starting in a race for the first time was picked for the 2.30 pace and vindicated the judgment of the talent by winning in straight heats. Pearl Wilkes gave Argue a good battle in the third heat.

Pearl T. was a favorite in the 2.16 pace. Billy Hurd, however, took the first two heats handily. Pearl T. warmed up in the third and won the heat in a close finish. The race then went over until today. Colburn was scoring Murth in the first heat of the 2.25 trot when the sulky broke down and he was thrown. This heat went to Baron Patch, the favorite. In the second heat Essex Maid reared as the word was given and threw Driver O'Neill. This accident frightened Claret who whirled about, upset her sulky, throwing the driver to the ground, and then started around the track the wrong way. Baron Patch led the horses remaining in the race up to the last turn. As he turned into the stretch his sulky lost a wheel and he was distanced. The judges, however, awarded him third place. The heat went to Yates. Baron Patch took the next heat after which the race went over.

Summary:

2.30 PACE.

Purse $300.

Argue, bg by Argood Wilkes (Cox)	1	1	1
Pearl Wilkes, bm (Martin)	3	3	2
Billy Bailey, bg (Kerwitch)	2	4	4
Ira Prandt, Jr., bg (Rathbun)	6	2	6
Needles, bg (Reynolds)	4	5	3
Grey Bess, gm (Levett)	5	6	5
Walter G., bg (Morse)	7	dis	

Time, 2.23¼, 2.20¼, 2.24¾.

2.16 PACE. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Billy Hurd, blk g (Gordon)	1	1	2
Pearl T., bm (Sunderlin)	5	3	1
Wilton B., bm (Lewis)	4	2	3
Miss Ormand, blk m (Watt)	2	5	4
Pat L., ch g (Payne)	3	4	6
Star Boy, bg (Bowser)	6	6	5

Time, 2.20, 2.10¾, 2.19¼.

2.25 TROT. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Baron Patch, bs, by Baron Posey (Yapp)	1	13	1
Yates, bm (Ralston)	2	1	5
Bert S., bg (Burnham)	6	2	3
Murch, bm (Colburn and Payne)	9	3	2
Essex Maid, ch m (O'Neill)	3	11	13
Lassie, blk m (Kingsley)	5	5	4
George U., bg (Cook)	10	4	6
Daly Moore, blk m (Cox)	4	6	11
Little Jack, bg (Yates)	8	10	7
Nicko, blk h (Pickles)	7	12	9
Rob Ray, bg (Edwards)	13	7	12
Boldface, bm (Young)	12	8	9
Claret, bm (Garrison)	11	9	10

Time, 2.24¼, 2.24¼, 2.23¼.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The condition of William L. Elkins, the financier last night was considered critical. Hope for his recovery has about been abandoned by the family.

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HARVEST FESTIVAL

By the C. Y. M. L. at Huntington Hall

JOSEPH GILLEY, Floor Director

The Event One of Great Pleasure for all Who Attended—List of the Tables and Committees

A harvest festival was held at Huntington hall last night under the auspices of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's parish and like other affairs conducted by this popular organization it proved to be a grand success both from a social and a financial standpoint. It was one of the leading social functions of the season and over 1500 people were in attendance during the evening. Of this number the majority remained to listen to the strains of the waltz home shortly after midnight. It was a continual round of pleasure from the opening event, and without doubt it was an occasion long to be remembered by those who attended.

During the early part of the evening a concert was given by the Bingville band, an organization composed of some of the best musicians in the city, who appeared in the garb of a country organization. So perfect were the disguises of the different members of the band that it is doubtful if one was recognized. The band responded to many encores until shortly after nine o'clock when dancing was started and continued until shortly after midnight.

There were four prettily decorated tables in the corners of the hall, the seasons of the year being represented. The Spring table was decorated with green, while green and white were the prevailing colors of the Summer table. Yellow, red and white dominated on the Autumn table while snowy white represented the Winter table. These tables were attended by bevies of hustling young ladies, and all of the tables did a rushing business.

The officers and assistants on the different tables were as follows:

Winter Table—Henry F. Doran, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Maloney, matron; Dennis J. Devine, assistant chairman; Charles Walsh, secretary; Timothy Rohan, treasurer; and the following assistants: Mrs. Henry F. Doran, Mrs. Dennis J. Devine, Mrs. Edward J. Carroll, Mrs. William Tighe, Mrs. James E. Henry, Mrs. D. S. O'Brien, Mrs. John F. Saunders, Mrs. Jas. H. Kelley, Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, Miss Catherine Rohan, Miss Annie Tighe, Miss Mary Rohan, Miss Frances Tighe, Miss Helen Leary, Miss Maggie Kelley, Miss Mamie Quinn, Miss Margaret Garrigan, Miss Nellie Counihan, Miss Hattie Garrigan, Miss Lizzie Murphy, Miss Mary Crowe, Miss Mamie Burns, Miss Mary Maguire, Miss Mamie Powers, Miss Tessie Slattery, Miss Agnes Sherry, Miss Lizzie Sullivan, Miss Katie Maguire, Miss Susie V. Ball, Miss Lizzie Quigley, Miss Mary McQuade, Miss Annie Courtney, Miss Mabel Stack, Miss Mary E. Marren, Miss Katie Keefe, Miss Maggie Marren, Miss Lizzie Doran, Miss Alice Tighe, Miss Nora Murphy, Miss Agnes Tighe, Miss Etta Tighe, John Kelty, Joseph Keyes, Connie Donovan, John Fitzgerald, James Kelly, Edward J. Carroll, Humphrey Coffey, James Coughlin, John J. Hanlon, Thomas Maloney, Thomas Lee, Daniel S. O'Brien, John F. Leary, James T. Henry, John F. Murphy, John J. Flynn, William Murphy, Miss Mamie Stack, Miss Nora Woods, Miss Josie Rohan, Miss Lulu Slattery, John Maher.

Spring Table—John H. Hogan, chairman; William A. Barry, treasurer; John Keegan, secretary; Mrs. John J. McNabb, matron; and the following assistants: Mrs. Smith J. Adams, Mrs. Annie Coffey, Mrs. W. J. Maguire, Mrs. Jennie Rellicker, Mrs. Laverty, Mrs. F. A. M. Tobin, Misses Katie Murphy, Annie Mavotte, May McOsker, May Maguire, Kittie Holland Mary V. Allen, Lizzie Connell, Louise Gainey, Mamie Mahon, Mary Rogers, Mary A. Murphy, Nellie O'Brien, Mary Howe, Gertie Cox, May Duffy, Sadie Higgins, Mamie McAdams, Julia Sullivan, Annie Maguire, Stasia Murray, Alice Dean, Julia Dean, Anna Doyle, Julia Allen, Jennie McLaughlin, May Carr, Alice Mulligan, Annie Gill, Katie Reardon, Katie Gill, Mamie Gallagher, Maggie Reardon, Annie Donohue, Alice Adie, Margaret Ward, Helen Leahey, Margaret Spellman, Josephine Dunlavey, Theresa Reilly, Nellie Hart, Lilla Welsh, May Flynn, Lillian Hebert, Gertie Smith, Nellie Hayes, Sadie Orr, Katie Lyons, Lizzie McVey, Lucy Jones, May F. Lynch, Jennie R. Joyce, Anna T. Coffey, Martha Curtin, May Cummings, Mahon, Julia Tabor, Josie Boyle, Cora McGovern, Maggie Myron, Mary Keefe, Nellie O'Neil, Abbie Murphy, Loretta Mirault, Lillian O'Brien, Gertrude Marley, Mary Govern.

Spring Table—Misses Mary Ward, Lillian Roy, Jennie Maguire, Minnie McCary, Marietta McGrath, Laura Lassard, Margaret McGlynn, Loretta Ward, Katherine O'Brien, Genevieve Smith, Josephine Ward, Agnes McAleon, Florence Crotty, Esther McOsker, Alice Riley, Anna Garvey, Helen Wholey, Alice Faneuf, Mary Callahan, Lulu Hart, May Cassidy, Lydia Cushing, Kittie Sullivan, Annie Rooney, Mabel McCarthy, Alice McNabb, Annie McGuane, Sadie Hart, Lena Smith, Kittie Dean, Mamie Kelly, Anna Tighe, Katie Tighe, Maggie Becky, Rev. Timothy Callahan, William Scannell, John Holloran, Herbert Daly, Philip Rogers, John Doyle, John Kennedy, John H. Murphy, Joseph Tobin, Chas. Doyle, Thomas Rafter, Eugene Dean, Edward Donohue, Thomas Hanifin, Maurice H. Powers, Thomas Maloney, Thomas Mulligan, Frank Sullivan, John Broadley, Patrick Murphy, John McCarthy, Alfred McDermott, John Adams, John Cadden, Joseph Cronan, Smith J. Adams, Patrick Curran, Louis Coffel, Thomas Wallace, Albert Lavo, Edward McCarthy, Frank McNabb, James Doyle, Michael Adams, Alexander Cryan, John J. McNabb, William Wholey, Charles Maloney, Cornelius Brosnan, Daniel Quinn, John Minehan, Edward Turner, Miss Etta Callahan.

Summer Table—John J. O'Connor, chairman; Rev. John J. McHugh assistant; William H. Gillis, secretary; T. Harry Flaherty, treasurer; Mrs. Katherine Gilligan, matron, and the following assistants: Mrs. John J. O'Connor, Mrs. Josephine Body, Misses Belle McCarthy, May Gilligan, Katherine Mealy, Gertrude Lyons, Julia Wheily, Margaret Rommey, Margaret Riley, Louise Flaherty, Annie Redican Rose Lee, Katie Kane, Norah Farrell, Mary E. Crosby, Etta Keefe, Josie Keefe, Lizzie Keefe, Etta Myers, Etta Reed, Margaret Shalvey, Alice Bailey, Nellie Sullivan, Kittie McKeon, Louise M. Andrews, Grace Mealy, Ethel E. Crafts, Mamie Shalvey, Katherine Teague, Anna Burrell, Joseph Nadeau, Messrs. Joe Gilley, Michael Greenings, Jas. O'Rourke, John Killeen, Edward Donoghue, Frederick Bonn, Eugene Queenan, Misses Rose Gosselin, Mamie Sheehan, Maggie McLaughlin, Peter Manimon, Warren Reardon, Walter Flynn.

J. H. MURPHY, General Manager.

Autumn Table—William J. Enright, chairman; John Minahan, assistant; Frederick Martin, secretary; John J. Carroll, treasurer; Miss Belle Donohue, matron; Misses Mary Doyle, Katie Donoghue, Maud Brown, Annie O'Donohue, assistant matrons, and the following assistants: Misses Katie Sullivan, Etta Flynn, Sadie Healey, Zephrine Pollard, Lena Sturgeon, Jennie Dunley, Bessie McAloon, Marguerite Higgins, Nellie Leahey, Donnelly, Downs, Delaney, Sadie Malone, May Morrissey, O'Keefe, Sadie O'Brien, Lena Comerford, Madeline Leary, Kane, Katie O'Neil, Amelia Lurcombe, Anna Cunningham, Delia Nestor, Rose Hamel, Emma Lynch, Elizabeth Delaney, Kittie Donohue, May Kelley, Alice Walsh, Mack McLaughlin Mollie O'Brien, Etta Pollard, Maggie Myers, May Gill, Nora Fancy, Nellie Meehan, Belle Chisholm, Messrs. S. Konsky, C. Sheehan, George Lynch, William Scanlon, Daniel Gleason, Thomas McGrath, Peter Ryan, William Burke, John Lynch, John Kelley, John Riley, Albert Patterson, Timothy Quinn, Torrence Quinn, Joseph Farmer, Henry Reardon, Daniel Leahy, James Brown, William Sullivan, James McLaughlin.

The success of the party was due to the zealous and untiring work of the following officers:—

John H. Murphy, general manager; John M. Hogan, assistant; Joseph F. Gilley, floor director; George F. Lynch, assistant; Joseph L. Cronin, chief aid; and the following aids: John J. Keegan, William A. Barry, Herbert Daly, William Wholey, John J. Doyle, John C. Martin, Cornelius Cronan, William T. Meloy, William Enright, Maurice H. Powers, William H. Giblin, Thomas J. Wallace, J. Harry Flaherty, James Bourke, Thomas B. Rafter, Edward A. Donoghue, Eugene Queenan, John J. Walker, Thomas Donahoe, John J. Carroll, John J. Lonergan, Chas. E. Walsh, Jeremiah A. Daly, Cornelius Brosnahan.

The reception committee was as follows:—

John H. Murphy, chairman; William Callaghan, Dr. P. E. Sullivan, Smith J. Adams, Daniel S. O'Brien, Simon Reilly, John J. McNabb, John J. Killeen, Daniel Lahey, Daniel Quinn, Thomas Maloney, James Hennessey, Henry F. Doran, John F. Bradley, Dennis J. Devine, John Kennedy, Dr. James Gaffney, Wm. Scannell, Michael O'Donoghue, John Leary, Thomas Lee, John Flynn, Charles Doyle, John Monahan, Jos. Keyes, Dr. T. B. Smith, Frederick Martin, Edward J. Carroll, Timothy Rohan, James T. Henry, Humphrey Coffey, Thomas J. Enright, Esq., Frank McCarty, Dr. James E. Leary, John P. Curley, James J. Doyle, John J. Donovan, Thomas A. Mulligan, F. A. M. Tobin, Harry Timmons, Cornelius Donovan, Peter H. Savage, John J. Hanlon, Robert J. Crowley, James Rafter, Dennis J. Ring, Thomas O'Donnell, Frank E. McNabb, Richard Donahoe, John J. Sullivan, Edward J. O'Donnell, Jas. E. O'Donnell, Esq., John Maher, John J. O'Connor.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty October wedding was solemnized last evening at the Kirk street church. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank Hancock Putnam, son of Hon. George E. Putnam and Miss Ethel Lyman, daughter of Edward Lyman.

Rev. George E. Martin, D. D., tied the nuptial knot. The ceremony was witnessed by a large and fashionable gathering and was preceded by organ selections by the church organist, Mr. Arthur Spalding.

The bride wore a gown of crepe de chine, with tulle veil and carried lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Marion Arnold of Providence and Miss Katrine Jennotte of Lowell. They wore dresses of white silk muslin with short tulle veils and carried pink roses. The bride was given away at the altar by her father. Miss Charlotte Cheney of Lowell was the maid of honor. She wore pink chiffon over pink silk and carried carnations of a like shade. Mr. Donald McKenzie was the best man.

Mr. Arthur Lyman of New Haven, a brother of the bride, was chief usher, and his aids were Messrs. Charles Munyan, of Providence, R. I., William Ellis of Boston, James Leighton and Edward Lawson of Lowell. The groom's gift to his bride was a diamond ring and the gifts of friends were numerous and elegant.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam entertained the bridal party directly after the ceremony. The church decorations of autumn foliage, palms and white chrysanthemums were very beautiful. The house was also prettily decorated, green and white being the prevailing tones.

The American orchestra furnished music at the house, 431 Wilder street. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam left the city by a late evening train, and will receive their friends January 6, 1904, at 214 Stevens street.

LEVIN—COHEN.

Mr. Samuel Levin of Lawrence and Miss Gertrude Cohen of this city were married last evening at Highland hall. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. Glaser of the New Jerusalem Synagogue of Boston.

The groom was attended by Frank Labell of Lawrence and Benjamin Cohen of Boston. The bride was unattended. She wore white silk with white lace trimmings. After the ceremony the young couple received the congratulations of their numerous friends. Later the grand march was started, Mr. and Mrs. Levin leading.

A wedding supper was served. Music was furnished by Wyman's orchestra of Boston.

A number of friends were present from Lawrence, Boston Lynn, Haverhill, Salem, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

RYAN—McCORD.

Mr. Arnold J. Ryan and Miss Annie E. McCord, both of this city, were married yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. Martin of the Kirk street church.

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CONVICTED OF MURDER

JOHN KENNEDY WRECKED A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SLAUTON, Va., Oct. 28.—In the Augusta court here yesterday John Kennedy, alias Crawford, charged with wrecking a Norfolk and Western passenger train near Greenville, Va., last December, and with the murder of Engineer Bailey of Roanoke, who lost his life in the wreck, was convicted of murder in the first degree, the jury being out five minutes. Sentence will be closed at a later day in the term. Kennedy's accomplice, James Bailey, will be tried today and the trial of Mrs. Bailey, the aged mother of James Bailey, whom Kennedy claims planned the wreck, will occur next.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was the usual large attendance of members at the meeting of the Elks at Elks' hall last evening. Much routine business was transacted. The committee on memorial services made a report of progress. The lodge members were favored with the presence of two members of the order who are playing at the Casto Theatre—Bros. J. M. Norcross and Frank Fogerty, also Walter J. Meakin, during the evening. Songs and recitations were given and much enjoyed. The Elks' quartet was present and their college songs were encored. Bro. D. D. Driscoll sang "America."

The Elks' night at Casto Theatre is on Friday night, October 30.

Lowell Council, Knights of Columbus, are preparing for a smoke talk to be held at the council rooms Wednesday, November 4. Congressman W. S. McNary of Boston will be orator of the evening. Hon. J. E. Drury will preside and Hon. P. J. Brady will be chairman of the reception committee. A musical program is being arranged and in addition to this, there will be a hand ball match between teams representing the Knights of Columbus and some other local organization.

Garfield Colony, U. O. P. F., held its regular meeting last evening. A short musical program followed the business session. This colony is to hold a series of whist parties, the first to be November 7.

The regular meeting of Cercle d'Youville, Companions of the Forest, was held last evening in old Odd Fellows' hall. In the absence of Chief Ranger M. F. Caron, Sub Chief Ranger Cordelia F. Caron presided. Routine business was transacted, after which one new member was initiated and two new propositions were received.

The regular meeting of Oberlin lodge was held last night and a new candidate was initiated. A discussion took place relative to the arrangements which have been under way in preparation for the reception to the grand officers. A collation will be served and all of the lodges have been given an invitation to be present. The following committee on entertainment was appointed at last night's meeting, Amos Kendall, William F. Stewart, J. R. Peabody, G. O. Hubbard, C. E. Farrington and all of the past grands of the lodge.

The annual visitation of Puritan Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held last night in Odd Fellows' Temple in Middlesex street. The event was attended by many members of the order. Previous to the initiation of several new members a dinner was served in the hall on the top floor. Among the many out-of-town guests present were the following: Sister Annie E. Blodgett, P. M., of Orient Chapter, No. 31, the Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts; Deputy Grand Marshal, Sister Emma F. Goodell, also P. M., of Orient Chapter of South Framingham; William Alden Blossom, past patron of Kingston Chapter, No. 18, of Boston; and others from Winter Harbor, Me., Stoneham, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua, Boston, Medford, Chelsea, Reading, Wilmington.

Among the present officers of the chapter are Mrs. Inez J. Whiting, N. M.; Samuel W. Kilpatrick, W. P.; Mrs. Mary McDonald, A. M.; Mrs. S. W. Kilpatrick, C.; Mrs. M. Shirley, treasurer and Mr. Frank Gray, secretary; all of whom have done very good work during the past year.

The supper was in charge of Sister Helen J. Talbot.

SISTER MARY STANISLAUS

WELL KNOWN NUN PASSED AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 28.—Sister Mary Stanislaus, for over 53 years connected with the St. Francis Xavier order of the Providence diocese of the Roman Catholic church, died at the head house of the sisterhood here yesterday, aged about 70 years.

She was at one time a teacher in Woonsocket, after which she was superior in the houses at Pawtucket, Newport, Fall River and New Bedford. Sister Mary Stanislaus was formerly Miss Splain, and was a native of Binghamton, N. Y.

PATRICK FOILED

In His Attempt to Get the Rice Millions

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28—The court of appeals yesterday placed a final negative upon the attempts of Albert T. Patrick to obtain the vast fortune of the deceased millionaire, William M. Rice, for whose murder he was under sentence of death in Sing Sing prison.

The court yesterday handed down a decision affirming that of the lower courts which threw out as a transparent forgery the alleged will of Mr. Rice which Patrick urged as superseding that admitted to probate by Surrogate Fitzgerald.

The will of Mr. Rice, thus sustained, makes no mention of Patrick, the bulk of the great estate, estimated at four millions or more, being bequeathed to the proposed "William M. Rice Institute for the advancement of literature, science and art," of Houston, Texas.

The will presented and urged in this appeal by Patrick left comparatively small bequests to the Rice Institute, and the bulk of the estate to Patrick.

The next stage in the extraordinary case will be the argument of Patrick's appeal from the conviction of murder in the first degree and the consequent sentence of death. Should the court set aside the sentence, there are indictments for forgery of this will and perjury in connection therewith, which are yet untried.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

SWEPT OVER SEVERAL BLOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—20 houses, including stores and private residences, were destroyed last night in a fire that swept over two city blocks in Kings bridge, on the upper end of Manhattan Island.

The section swept by the fire was the business section of the old village of Kings Bridge, composed of detachable frame structures that burned readily. The Kings Bridge hotel formerly a famous road house, was destroyed, the proprietor and his family barely escaping with their lives. The total property damage was about $150,000.

NEW FRENCH CLUB.

A movement is on foot among French-American residents of Centralville to form a club among the young men in the locality and a meeting was held last night at the residence of Eli Bellisle in Hildreth street. Arthur Bellisle, a son of Jacques Belisle, and their friends, Ernest Mailly and Frank Monette are at the head of the movement. The club will be formed for social and sporting purposes and the charter members will number 20. It will be known as the Hildreth club.

The young men have rented a club house in Aiken avenue and the formal opening will take place Nov. 5, when the opening will be marked by a social card party.

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SEVEN ARE DEAD

Passenger Train Ran Into Work Train

By Associated Press to The Sun

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 28—Word reached this city last night that the second section of an east-bound overland passenger train had run into a work train at Palisade, Nev., on the Central Pacific, and that seven section men were killed and several passengers injured. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train were also injured.

JACK JOHNSON WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 28—Jack Johnson got the decision over McVey at the end of twenty rounds here last night.

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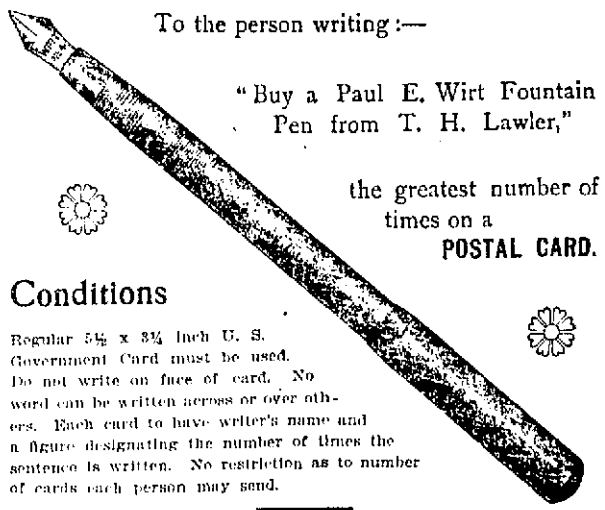

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

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WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

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The Socialist bugaboo will vanish about election day. There is no coal famine this year.

Every business man in the city will sympathize with Mr. Shattuck in his business reverses.

According to the rules of the local division of the street railway there is no excuse for a rear end collision.

J. L. Chalifoux is booming Olney for the presidency in the south. He has made a good selection. Olney is the ablest man yet mentioned for the office.

The committee on public baths have inspected some good models in Boston, but as we learned years ago they are too expensive to be copied by the city of Lowell.

It is a commentary upon the state police regime in Boston that one policeman is held for the grand jury on the charge of murder and another on the charge of assault and attempted robbery.

The Boot and Shoe Workers' union of Lynn, backed by the American Federation of Labor, is in deadly conflict with the Knights of Labor of that city. The enemies of organized labor can afford to look on with equanimity.

A Boston paper seems to express a degree of skepticism in announcing that a certain gentleman of that city has lived to the age of 81 years without using liquor of any kind. The old "soaks" believe such a thing impossible.

The president will again endeavor to force the ratification of the Cuban reciprocity treaty at the extra session of congress to assemble next month. While banks are almost daily going to the wall, the country will expect congress to take some action to restore stability and relieve the money stringency that seems to be causing so much trouble in financial circles.

It remained for a Connecticut lawyer to attack Mr. Bryan's character and attribute to him selfish motives in connection with the probate of a will in which Mr. Bryan was beneficiary and executor. Mr. Bryan, however, stands above fear and above reproach. There is no more noble character in public life in this country today.

Is it not a bit queer with Burchard, yet unforgotten that so many clergymen as soon as they enter a political campaign resort to the tricks of alliteration. In New York, Rev. Dr. McArthur denounces Tammany as "organized greed, graft and grog," while Rev. Dr. Lorimer designates it a combination of loot, lust and lawlessness, all of which affects Tammany about as much as water thrown upon a duck's back.

There need be no particular dread from the location of powder magazines at the proposed site in Billerica if they are constructed on the right plan, if they are put under ground and properly protected. The location of the magazines will injure the surrounding property for building purposes as after the experience at Riverside Park nobody for the next fifty years will want to reside close to such a magazine.

THE GAYETY OF AGED SENATORS.

It is now the fashion for aged senators at Washington to have young wives. Platt at 71 married a widow of forty and left a young lady to sue for breach of promise. Depew, not quite so old, took to himself a young wife, and now Senator Stewart at 76 elopes with a charming widow. There seems to be no scarcity of widows ready to sacrifice themselves in this way where the senator has succeeded in accumulating enough to make it an object to the ambitious young woman.

A PROFITABLE COMPETITION.

A unique competition was brought to a close at the annual meeting of the Village Improvement society of Billerica Monday night. The Talbot mills had offered a variety of prizes for the best kept premises, vines, window and porch boxes, flower gardens, and vegetable gardens. The competition has resulted in the beautification of the houses, premises and gardens not only of the competitors but of many others who though not wishing to bother with the competition, did show a determination not to be outdone by their neighbors in the various improvements mentioned. This is but one of many praiseworthy improvements inaugurated by the Talbot company. They have the interests of the town sincerely at heart. What a different state of affairs would prevail here in Lowell if the owners of our mills lived here and manifested such a keen interest in our city as the Talbot family shows for Billerica!

GASTON FOR REDUCED EXPENDITURES.

Colonel Gaston stands for a reduction of the expensive commissions which have contributed so largely to the extravagance in state expenditures in recent years. He points out very clearly and forcibly how each commission is pulling for more money for its special department and that in this way the aggregate expenditure is driven to excess. To lessen the evil he would consolidate several commissions and thus cut down the salary list and office expenses. Gov. Crane accomplished considerable in this direction but Governor Bates has shown no business capacity sufficient to cope with such important business. His lack of business sagacity was shown in his transactions with Holden and in his appointment of Emmons as police commissioner.

CHANGE OF ADMINISTRATION NEEDED.

Campaign orators may turn the issues over and over, they may twist and distort and chop them up but they cannot put them more plainly before the people than did Richard Olney in his letter to the Massachusetts club when he pointed out the evils that inevitably result from the unbroken tenure of office of one political party for a long number of years. The truth of that is shown by the rottenness of the postoffice department and of the similar condition of the interior department where land grafting has become a fine art. In the state governments the same principle holds goods. Its force is demonstrated in Pennsylvania and in our own state. The republicans have forced up expenses of all kinds and forced grafters into lucrative positions until the taxpayers throughout the state are complaining of the burden. The annual interest bill of $2,800,000 is too much for the state of Massachusetts.

The republicans have been so long in office that they have become reckless and corrupt. It is time to have a change. Give the democrats a chance.

SEEN AND HEARD

The newspaper cuts of Ezekiel M. Ezekiel, democratic candidate for secretary of state, make him look like Major Allen, the milk inspector.

Rev. John B. Delaney, the Lowell boy who has become prominently identified with the Catholic church of New Hampshire, has won new laurels by securing for graduates of the parochial schools admission to the high school without examination. Lowell still holds to the examination.

The North Andover assessors have announced the tax-rate as $14.50 per thousand, which is an increase of $2 per thousand over last year. The value of real estate is $3,175,670 and of personal estate $1,634,610. The number of polls is 1264.

Greenleaf C. Brock, the Centralville druggist, who is treasurer of the Middlesex chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, read an essay at the last meeting of Suffolk chapter in Boston on "John Hancock."

Rev. Edwin Smith of Ballardvale, who was buried yesterday in that town, was the father of Rev. Edwin B. Smith of Farmington, Me., who is about to assume the pastorate of the Pawtucket church, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett of this city announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hattie Belle to Mr. Thomas Adams Remington of Boston. Mr. Barrett is the well-known painter and paper-hanger.

"A mothers' meeting" was held in Boston last week, and the mothers listened to a talk on "A Tramp Abroad," had a tea and indulged in gossip—all of which must have been very useful to the mothers. But too many "tramps abroad" are inimical to home duties, yet perhaps tea and gossip are really essential.

Strange rules are in vogue in Derby, Conn. It costs ten cents to have the contents of a garbage can emptied and carted off. The milk men have a novel method of insuring pay for their milk. Checks are sold to their customers at five cents each and one of these checks must be attached to the milk bottle or can every evening upon retiring, for if there is no check with the milk bottle or can, it is a case of "no checkie, no milkie."

Department stores have troubles of their own.

"I want to get a dog collar," said the customer.

"Yes, sir," replied the clerk, who had recently been transferred from the haberdashery department. "What size shirt do you wear?"

The late Mary P. Ropes of Salem, who left thousands of dollars to colleges and other semi-public institutions, was a relative of the late ex-Mayor Dimon.

Says a local merchant: "The Sun is doing good work in its crusade against fast automobile riding. Some of the auto drivers act as if they owned the road exclusively, and any movement to curtail their autocratic ways deserves encouragement. The fast ones are usually non-residents.

Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of the United States, says the stock of gold presents an interesting and important problem. No doubt of it, and the most interesting and important is how to get hold of a portion of the pile.

DR. HALE'S RULES OF LIFE.

Rev. Dr. Edward E. Hale, the oldest living pupil of Boston schools, addressed the pupils of a grammar school in that city, last week, and being asked what his working rules of life were, replied: "Live in the open air all you can; touch elbows; every day speak to your superiors."

EVENING SCHOOLS CRITICIZED.

Observers of the methods employed in the night schools declare that a foreigner can learn and adapt himself to the English language much quicker when taught by teachers that understand their native language; that the methods pursued in the night schools are only applicable to the teaching of children, and are entirely out of scope and inadequate in teaching men and women.

THE TYNGSBORO ROUTE.

The people of Nashua fear that the Boston & Northern road will not connect with the Tyngsboro line this year, as expected. On Dec. 31st next, the franchise runs out, and officials of the company will not state whether or not the road will be built. "This road," says a Nashua man, "would make an ideal electric line to Lowell."

A VERY PECULIAR CALF.

A freak calf, a rare monstrosity, was born to a fine milch cow, that deserved a better fate, at the Meadow Hill farm, in Pelham, a few days ago. The calf was a series of misplaced hoofs, legs, tails and heads. You couldn't tell which was which and the fond mother couldn't throw any light on the subject. Despite the extreme oddness of her offspring she cared for it tenderly. The calf was killed in order that the cow might be saved. Its sojourn in this world was brief and as no special request, relative to the disposition of the body, was made, it was turned over to a physician who will stuff the corpse and send it to a museum. A great many persons viewed the calf, in death, and one woman pronounced it a "comedy of errors." It weighed about 75 pounds and had two perfectly formed heads. A leg with the usual hoof attachment projected from between the heads and at the other end of the body were two tails and an assortment of legs. The Pelhamites thought it a wonderful thing when one day an old resident walked into town with an odorless skunk but the freak calf has the odorless skunk beaten a mile or more.

HUNTINGTON HALL REMINISCENCE.

Who in Lowell recalls when the floor in Huntington hall sank and a catastrophe was narrowly averted? It was on the evening of Oct. 28, 1856. That great lawyer, Rufus Choate, a Whig all his life, decided to vote for Buchanan, and his one and only speech of the campaign was made in Lowell. Huntington hall was packed. Gen. Butler presided, and had hardly begun to make a preliminary address when a dull, heavy sound like a distant cannon was heard—the floor was yielding. The audience became frightened, but were assured of safety. Mr. Choate began and proceeded for nearly half an hour, when again the ominous sound was heard, and the floor was felt sinking as before. Mr. Choate paused, and the fears of the crowd were again quieted by Gen. Butler's assurance that he would go and ascertain the condition of things and report. He went and to his horror found that several of the rods by which the floor was sustained had drawn through the timbers, that the ceiling below in the depot was opening and that the slightest jar was likely to collapse the whole building. Comprehending the peril, Gen. Butler made his way to the platform, and calmly advised the audience that while there was no immediate danger, it would be best to quietly leave the hall. "This is the place of greatest danger," he said, "and I shall stand here till all have gone out." Not till all were safe did they comprehend how near to a catastrophe they had been, to which that of the Pemberton mill might have been a mercy.

STERN HELD

TO AWAIT ACTION OF GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The preliminary hearing in the case of Leopold J. Stern of Baltimore, indicted for complicity in the postal frauds, was concluded in the police court yesterday and Stern was held in $500 bail to await the action of the grand jury which was furnished and he was released.

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SOME CYCLE NEWS

Rain Affected Racing During Past Season

AND BIG MOTORS INJURED THE TRACKS

Salt Lake's Success Arouses the West

While these large pacing machines used this year have proven safe and reliable, with not a serious accident since May 30 to their discredit, there is one argument against their continued use that cannot be refuted. They have played havoc with many tracks, and confined cycle racing to the Eastern New England district—that is, paced racing. They are too heavy for some tracks and too fast for others.

Some of the old time tracks, upon which records have been broken, have been entirely out of the question for the new pace. During the last month the old Baltimore track was condemned by the building inspectors. The fast Washington track is a thing to be avoided under the present racing conditions. Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Springfield have been abandoned this year, and Pittsburg, Dayton and Springfield (the two latter in Ohio) have been too far from the centre of activity of paced racing. This has confined racing back of pace to Boston, where it thrives and has its home. But in the Boston district many tracks have suffered through the big motors. Many surfaces must be rebuilt for next season, as the large 500-pound machines have thumped the very underpinning from under them and split surfaces into kindling wood. Today but one track thoroughly suitable for the big motors is available, and that track is Charles River Park.

Whether other tracks will be constructed remains to be seen.

Owing to the weather conditions this year most of the tracks lost money. Some were heavy losers, and few more than broke even. In June and August there were thirty-five rainy days. With such conditions existing, money making was entirely out of the question. The outlook, therefore, for track-building is not very bright.

During the past year three new tracks were constructed. While none made money, the outlook for at least two of these new tracks is promising. Charles River park and Lowell will be money-makers. The latter, although new, will have to be reconstructed, as the big motors have already weakened the supports, causing the track to sway badly while the big motors are going around.

In one city, however, cycle racing has proved an unqualified success. The Salt Lake City (Utah) track has again coined money. Salt Lake's success has resulted in a general feeling of confidence all through the west. This has resulted in applications being made for franchises for Denver, Pueblo and Ogden. These three cities, and Salt Lake City promise to form the nucleus of a prosperous western circuit which will draw largely from eastern territory next year, as it has done this year.

Track building and cycle racing in Salt Lake City was inaugurated four years ago, largely on bluff which won. The Salt palace management was asked to build a track. They wanted some guarantee of attendance. Cycle enthusiasts easily secured thousands of signatures of people who promised to attend the races. The construction of the track followed, and apparently all who signed those papers did so with every intention of keeping the promise. Races were run once weekly, then twice, and finally thrice, yet the crowds came. Nor was the second year less successful and the third saw no changing away to the interest. During the season just ended two meets weekly have been promoted with success. Salt Lake has seen good racing, and seen racing as advertised. The promoters have kept faith with the people.

MRS. RICHARDS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Harriet Alice Richards, state regent for Wyoming of the Daughters of the American revolution, and wife of the commissioner of the general land office, died here last night of heart trouble. She was 48 years old and left three daughters. She was a descendant of that branch of the Hunt family who served as Minutemen at Lexington, and assisted in building Concord, Mass.

REV. ROBERT HASKINS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 28.—A special from Gardner says:

Word has been received from Coimbore, India, of the death there of Rev. Robert Haskins, a missionary of the Methodist church in India, who has labored in that field since 1868. He was widely known throughout the New England conference.

STEAMSHIP SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 28.—A special from Beaufort, N. C., says:

"The steamship City of Everetts, from Pensacola, Fla., bound north, for which so much anxiety has been felt, has arrived at Cape Lookout light for harbor, with her machinery slightly damaged.

ANNUAL MEETING

All Probation Officers in Massachusetts

WILL MEET AT THE STATE HOUSE TODAY

Probation System Is a Good Thing

All the probation officers in Massachusetts will meet at the state house today. The conference was called by the prison commissioners and a member of that body will preside at the meeting. The probation officers met last year for the first time. The object of the conference is to further the acquaintance of the officers and also to increase the benefit of the probation system by exchange of ideas and general discussion.

Probation Officer Slattery of this city will attend the conference and will undoubtedly carry with him a few good suggestions as his work during the three and one-half years that he has held the office has been most beneficial to all concerned.

Mr. Slattery has about 200 probationists under his care at the present time and his Saturday visitors number anywhere from 50 to 100. In reply to a Sun reporter's question yesterday, Mr. Slattery said that with very few exceptions the probationists report faithfully. This is particularly true in the case of small boys who have been before the court for larceny. Judge Hadley is disposed, instead of imposing a fine, to give the boys a chance with Mr. Slattery and the success of the judge's plan is evidenced by the fact that a juvenile probationist rarely finds his way back to the police court. To impose a fine would mean, in the majority of cases, embarrassment to parents and the probation officer, by keeping after the boys, not only influences them to avoid a repetition of former offences, but he also helps them in other ways.

The work of the probation officer, however, is not confined solely to the care of probationists. It is not generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that a great many complaints that are entered are never aired in court. If the complaint has to do with a disruption in a family, Judge Hadley instructs the probation officer to seek out the parties that are at auger ends and Mr. Slattery is generally very successful in bringing about a reconciliation, thus sparing parties the humility and disgrace of a police court trial, that they, in their angry moments, would precipitate. The probation system is a good thing in many ways.

COLLIERIES CLOSED

ELEVEN PLANTS DECIDED TO SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The eleven collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company in the Shamokin district, employing about 7000 men and boys, shut down last night and will remain closed until the day after election. The remaining collieries of the Reading company, all the mines of the Lehigh Valley Coal company, the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and some of the operations of the other companies will close today for a week. More than 60,000 men and boys are affected by the shut down. The action of the companies in suspending operations is due to the fact that two holidays fall within the next week, Mitchell day (October 29), and election day.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

The two last performances of Hal Reid's "A Homespun Heart," will be given this afternoon and evening at the Academy of Music. This comedy drama has proved to be a grand drawing card and is well worth the patronage of the theatre-going people of this city.

Friday night Al. Reeves and his big burlesque company will open a two nights' engagement with a matinee Saturday afternoon. The company is playing at Ottawa tonight and will be unable to reach Lowell until Friday evening. The company is a good one and some marvellous vaudeville acts are included. Two new burlettas will be introduced entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon," and "A Merry Go Round." The banjo king, Al. Reeves, is equipped with all new songs and funny sayings which have been written expressly for him. Other turns include Andy Lewis and company in "The Tout," the Tossing Austens, Devine and Williams, the marvellous Van der Koor, the Newell sisters, Katherine Dahl and Fannie Thatcher.

COMEDY BILL AT THE CASTO.

The current program at the Casto is a most pleasing one and the large audiences manifest their appreciation by hearty applause throughout the performance. The act of Ferrar, Cole & Company, entitled "His College Chum," is a very clever idea, and the lines are exceedingly witty and the situations most laughable. Frank Fogerty is an Irish comedian of the highest order and his stories are entirely new. The Marvelous Merrills in their astounding bicycle act, Rossire and Taft in a side-splitting comedy acrobatic act, and the Big Three Minstrels are only a part of an excellent program.

WON BY JENKINS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 28.—The wrestling match for the championship of the world, which took place at Old City Hall, this city, last night, between Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, O., and Dan McLeod of Canada, was won by Jenkins, he taking first and third falls.

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IN STRAIGHT HEATS

Argue Took 2.30 Pace at Nashua

PLENTY OF EXCITEMENT IN 2.25 TROT

Two Races Put Over Until Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 28.—The closing meet of the New England half mile circuit opened yesterday under conditions favorable neither to the horses nor to the large crowd that had been attracted to the track. Owing to the large number of entries in the 2.25 trot only one race of the three on the card was concluded. The large field in this trot furnished several hair-raising accidents which served in a way to counteract the chill in the atmosphere. Argue, though starting in a race for the first time was picked for the 2.30 pace and vindicated the judgment of the talent by winning in straight heats. Pearl Wilkes gave Argue a good battle in the third heat.

Pearl T. was a favorite in the 2.16 pace. Billy Hurd, however, took the first two heats handily. Pearl T. warmed up in the third and won the heat in a close finish. The race then went over until today. Colburn was scoring Murth in the first heat of the 2.25 trot when the sulky broke down and he was thrown. This heat went to Baron Patch, the favorite. In the second heat Essex Maid reared as the word was given and threw Driver O'Neill. This accident frightened Claret who whirled about, upset her sulky, throwing the driver to the ground, and then started around the track the wrong way. Baron Patch led the horses remaining in the race up to the last turn. As he turned into the stretch his sulky lost a wheel and he was distanced. The judges, however, awarded him third place. The heat went to Yates. Baron Patch took the next heat after which the race went over.

Summary:

2.30 PACE.

Purse $300.

Argue, bg, by Argood Wilkes (Cox)	1	1	1
Pearl Wilkes, bm (Martin)	3	3	2
Billy Bailey, bg (Kervitch)	2	4	4
Ira Prandt, Jr., bg (Rathbun)	6	2	6
Needles, bg (Reynolds)	4	5	3
Grey Bess, gm (Levett)	5	6	5
Walter C., bg (Morse)	7	dis	

Time, 2.25¼, 2.20½, 2.21¼.

2.16 PACE. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Billy Hurd, blk g (Gordon)	1	1	2
Pearl T., bm (Sunderlin)	5	3	1
Wilton B., bm (Lewis)	4	2	3
Miss Ormand, blk m (Watt)	2	5	4
Pat L., ch g (Payne)	3	4	6
Star Boy, bg (Bowser)	6	6	5

Time, 2.20, 2.19¾, 2.19½.

2.25 TROT. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Baron Patch, bs, by Baron Posey (Yapp)	1	13	1
Yates, bm (Ralston)	2	1	6
Bert S., bg (Burnham)	6	2	3
Murch, bm (Colburn and Payne)	9	3	2
Essex Maid, ch m (O'Neill)	3	11	13
Lassie, blk m (Kingsley)	5	5	4
George H., bg (Cook)	10	4	6
Daly Moore, blk m (Cox)	4	6	11
Little Jack, bg (Yates)	8	10	7
Nicko, blk h (Pickles)	7	12	8
Rob Roy, bg (Edwards)	13	7	12
Bolden, bm (Young)	12	8	9
Claret, bm (Garrison)	11	9	10

Time, 2.24¼, 2.24½, 2.23½.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28—The condition of William L. Elkins, the financier last night was considered critical. Hope for his recovery has about been abandoned by the family.

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HARVEST FESTIVAL

By the C. Y. M. L. at Huntington Hall

JOSEPH GILLEY. Floor Director

The Event One of Great Pleasure for all Who Attended—List of the Tables and Committees

A harvest festival was held at Huntington hall last night under the auspices of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's parish and like other affairs conducted by this popular organization it proved to be a grand success both from a social and a financial standpoint. It was one of the leading social functions of the season and over 1500 people were in attendance during the evening. Of this number the majority remained to listen to the strains of the waltz home shortly after midnight. It was a continual round of pleasure from the opening event, and without doubt it was an occasion long to be remembered by those who attended.

During the early part of the evening a concert was given by the Bingville band, an organization composed of some of the best musicians in the city, who appeared in the garb of a country organization. So perfect were the disguises of the different members of the band that it is doubtful if one was recognized. The band responded to many encores until shortly after nine o'clock when dancing was started and continued until shortly after midnight.

There were four prettily decorated tables in the corners of the hall, the seasons of the year being represented. The Spring table was decorated with green, while green and white were the prevailing colors of the Summer table. Yellow, red and white dominated on the Autumn table while snowy white represented the Winter table. These tables were attended by bevies of hustling young ladies, and all of the tables did a rushing business.

The officers and assistants on the different tables were as follows:

Winter Table—Henry F. Doran, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Maloney, matron; Dennis J. Devine, assistant chairman; Charles Walsh, secretary; Timothy Rohan, treasurer; and the following assistants: Mrs. Henry F. Doran, Mrs. Dennis J. Devine, Mrs. Edward J. Carroll, Mrs. William Tighe, Mrs. James E. Henry, Mrs. D. S. O'Brien, Mrs. John F. Saunders, Mrs. Jas. H. Kelley, Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, Miss Catherine Rohan, Miss Annie Tighe, Miss Mary Rohan, Miss Frances Tighe, Miss Helen Leary, Miss Maggie Kelley, Miss Mamie Quinn, Miss Margaret Garrigan, Miss Nellie Counihan, Miss Hattie Garrigan, Miss Lizzie Murphy, Miss Mary Crowe, Miss Mamie Burns, Miss Mary Maguire, Miss Mamie Powers, Miss Tessie Slattery, Miss Agnes Sherry, Miss Lizzie Sullivan, Miss Katie Maguire, Miss Susie V. Ball, Miss Lizzie Quigley, Miss Mary McQuade, Miss Annie Courtney, Miss Mabel Stack, Miss Mary R. Marren, Miss Katie Keefe, Miss Maggie Marren, Miss Lizzie Doran, Miss Alice Tighe, Miss Nora Murphy, Miss Agnes Tighe, Miss Etta Tighe, John Kelty, Joseph Keyes, Connie Donovan, John Fitzgerald, James Kelty, Edward J. Carroll, Humphrey Coffey, James Coughlin, John J. Hanlon, Thomas Maloney, Thomas Lee, Daniel S. O'Brien, John F. Leary, James T. Henry, John F. Murphy, John J. Flynn, William Murphy, Miss Mamie Stack, Miss Nora Woods, Miss Josie Rohan, Miss Lulu Slattery, John Maher.

Spring Table—John H. Hogan, chairman; William A. Barry, treasurer; John Keegan, secretary; Mrs. John J. McNabb, matron; and the following assistants: Mrs. Smith J. Adams, Mrs. Annie Coffey, Mrs. W. J. Maguire, Mrs. Jennie Redicker, Mrs. Laverty, Mrs. F. A. M. Tobin, Misses Katie Murphy, Annie Mayotte, May McOsker, May Maguire, Kittie Holland, Mary V. Allen, Lizzie Connell, Louise Guiney, Mamie Mahon, Mary Rogers, Mary A. Murphy, Nellie O'Brien, Mary Howe, Gertie Cox, May Duffy, Sadie Higgins, Mamie McAdams, Julia Sullivan, Annie Maguire, Stasia Murray, Alice Dean, Julia Dean, Anna Doyle, Julia Allen, Jennie McLaughlin, May Carr, Alice Mulligan, Annie Gill, Katie Reardon, Katie Gill, Mamie Gallagher, Maggie Reardon, Annie Donohue, Alice Adie, Margaret Ward, Helen Leahey, Margaret Spellman, Josephine Dunlavey, Theresa Reilly, Nellie Hart, Lilla Welsh, May Flynn, Lillian Hebert, Gertie Smith, Nellie Hayes, Sadie Orr, Katie Lyons, Lizzie McVey, Lucy Jones, May F. Lynch, Jennie R. Joyce, Anna T. Coffey, Martha Curtin, May Cummings, Mahon, Julia Tabor, Josie Boyle, Cora McGovern, Maggie Myron, Mary Keefe, Nellie O'Neil, Abbie Murphy, Loretta Mirault, Lillian O'Brien, Gertrude Marley, Mary Govern.

Spring Table—Misses Mary Ward, Lillian Roy, Jennie Maguire, Minnie McCary, Marietta McGrath, Laura Lassard, Margaret McGlynn, Loretta Ward, Katherine O'Brien, Genevieve Smith, Josephine Ward, Agnes McAloon, Florence Crotty, Esther McOsker, Alice Riley, Anna Garvey, Helen Wholey, Alice Faneuf, Mary Callahan, Lulu Hart, May Cassidy, Lydia Cushing, Kittie Sullivan, Annie Rooney, Mabel McCarthy, Alice McNabb, Annie

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McGuane, Sadie Hart, Lena Smith, Kittie Dean, Mamie Kelly, Anna Tighe, Katie Tighe, Maggie Becky, Rev. Timothy Callahan, William Scannell, John Holloran, Herbert Daly, Philip Rogers, John Doyle, John Kennedy, John H. Murphy, Joseph Tobin, Chas. Doyle, Thomas Rafter, Eugene Dean, Edward Donohoe, Thomas Hanifin, Maurice H. Powers, Thomas Mahoney, Thomas Mulligan, Frank Sullivan, John Broadley, Patrick Murphy, John McCarthy, Alfred McDermott, John Adams, John Cadden, Joseph Cronan, Smith J. Adams, Patrick Curran, Louis Coffel, Thomas Wallace, Albert Lavo, Edward McCarthy, Frank McNabb, James Doyle, Michael Adams, Alexander Cryan, John J. McNabb, William Wholey, Charles Maloney, Cornelius Brosnan, Daniel Quinn, John Minehan, Edward Turner, Miss Etta Callahan.

Summer Table—John J. O'Connor, chairman; Rev. John J. McHugh, assistant; William H. Giblin, secretary; T. Harry Flaherty, treasurer; Mrs. Katherine Gilligan, matron, and the following assistants: Mrs. John J. O'Connor, Mrs. Josephine Body, Misses Belle McCarthy, May Gilligan, Katherine Medy, Gertrude Lyons, Julia Whelly, Margaret Hennessy, Margaret Riley, Louise Flaherty, Annie Redlean, Rose Lee, Katie Kane, Norah Farrell, Mary E. Cronin, Etta Keefe, Josie Keefe, Lizzie Keefe, Etta Myers, Etta Reed, Margaret Shalvey, Alice Bagley, Nellie Sullivan, Kittie McKeon, Louise M. Andrews, Grace Menly, Ethel E. Crafts, Mamie Shalvey, Katherine Teague, Anna Barrett, Jennie Nadeau, Messrs. Jos. Gilley, Michael Fleming, Jas. O'Rourke, John Killeen, Edward Donoghue, Frederick Bean, Eugene Queenan, Misses Rose Gosslin, Mamie Sheehan, Maggie McLaughlin, Peter Manimon, Warren Reardon, Walter Flynn.

Autumn Table—William J. Enright, chairman; John Minahan, assistant; Frederick Martin, secretary; John J. Carroll, treasurer; Miss Belle Donohue, matron; Misses Mary Doyle, Katie Donoghue, Maud Brown, Annie O'Donohue, assistant matrons, and the following assistants; Misses Katie Sullivan, Etta Flynn, Sadie Henley, Zephrine Pollard, Lena Sturgeon, Jennie Dantey, Bessie McAloon, Marguerite Higgins, Nellie Leahey, Donnelly, Downs, Delaney, Sadie Malone, May Morrissey, O'Keefe, Sadie O'Brien, Lena Conerford, Madeline Leary, Kane, Katie O'Neil, Amelia Larcombe, Anna Cunningham, Della Nestor, Rose Hamel, Emma Lynch, Elizabeth Delaney, Kittie Donohue, May Kelley, Alice Walsh, Marie McLaughlin, Mollie O'Brien, Etta Pollard, Maggie Myers, May Gill, Nora Fancy, Nellie Meehan, Belle Chisholm, Messrs. S. Konsky, C. Sheehan, George Lynch, William Scanlon, Daniel Gleason, Thomas McGrath, Peter Bean, William Burke, John Lynch, John Kelley, John Riley, Albert Patterson, Timothy Quinn, Terrence Quinn, Joseph Farmer, Henry Reardon, Daniel Leahy, James Brown, William Sullivan, James McLaughlin.

The success of the party was due to the zealous and untiring work of the following officers:—

John H. Murphy, general manager; John M. Hogan, assistant; Joseph F. Gilley, floor director; George F. Lynch, assistant; Joseph L. Cronin, chief aid; and the following aids: John J. Keenan, William A. Barry, Herbert Daly, William Wholey, John J. Doyle, John C. Martin, Cornelius Cronan, William T. Meloy, William Enright, Maurice H. Powers, William H. Giblin, Thomas J. Wallace, J. Harry Flaherty, James Rourke, Thomas B. Rafter, Edward A. Donoghue, Eugene Queenan, John J. Walker, Thomas Donahoe, John J. Carroll, John J. Lonergan, Chas. E. Walsh, Jeremiah A. Daly, Cornelius Brosnahan.

The reception committee was as follows:—

John H. Murphy, chairman; William Callaghan, Dr. P. E. Sullivan, Smith J. Adams, Daniel S. O'Brien, Simon Reilly, John J. McNabb, John J. Killeen, Daniel Lahey, Daniel Quinn, Thomas Maloney, James Hennessey, Henry F. Doran, John F. Bradley, Dennis J. Devine, John Kennedy, Dr. James Gaffney, Wm. Scannell, Michael O'Donoghue, John Leary, Thomas Lee, John Flynn, Charles Doyle, John Monahan, Jos. Keyes, Dr. T. B. Smith, Frederick Martin, Edward J. Carroll, Timothy Rohan, James T. Henry, Humphrey Coffey, Thomas J. Enright, Esq., Frank McCarty, Dr. James E. Leary, John P. Curley, James J. Doyle, John J. Donovan, Thomas A. Mulligan, F. A. M. Tobin, Harry Timmons, Cornelius Donovan, Peter H. Savage, John J. Hanlon, Robert J. Crowley, James Rafter, Dennis J. Ring, Thomas O'Donnell, Frank E. McNabb, Richard Donahoe, John J. Sullivan, Edward J. O'Donnell, Jas. E. O'Donnell, Esq., John Maher, John J. O'Connor.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty October wedding was solemnized last evening at the Kirk street church. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank Hancock Putnam, son of Hon. George E. Putnam and Miss Ethel Lyman, daughter of Edward Lyman.

Rev. George E. Martin, D. D., tied the nuptial knot. The ceremony was witnessed by a large and fashionable gathering and was preceded by organ selections by the church organist, Mr. Arthur Spalding.

The bride wore a gown of crepe de chine, with tulle veil and carried lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Marion Arnold of Providence and Miss Katrine Jeanotte of Lowell. They wore dresses of white silk muslin with short tulle veils and carried pink roses. The bride was given away, at the altar by her father. Miss Charlotte Cheney of Lowell, was the maid of honor. She wore pink chiffon over pink silk and carried carnations of a like shade. Mr. Donald McKenzie was the best man.

Mr. Arthur Lyman of New Haven, a brother of the bride, was chief usher, and his aids were Messrs. Charles Munyan, of Providence, R. I., William Ellis of Boston, James Leighton and Edward Lansen of Lowell. The groom's gift to his bride was a diamond ring and the gifts of friends were numerous and elegant.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam entertained the bridal party directly after the ceremony. The church decorations of autumn foliage, palms and white chrysanthemums were very beautiful. The house was also prettily decorated, green and white being the prevailing tones.

The American orchestra furnished music at the house, 431 Wilder street. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam left the city by a late evening train, and will receive their friends January 6, 1904, at 214 Stevens street

LEVIN—COHEN.

Mr. Samuel Levin of Lawrence and Miss Gertrude Cohen of this city were married last evening at Highland hall. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H Glaser of the New Jerusalem Synagogue of Boston.

The groom was attended by Frank Labell of Lawrence and Benjamin Cohen of Boston. The bride was unattended. She wore white silk with white lace trimmings. After the ceremony the young couple received the congratulations of their numerous friends. Later the grand march was started, Mr. and Mrs. Levin leading.

A wedding supper was served. Music was furnished by Wyman's orchestra of Boston.

A number of friends were present from Lawrence, Boston Lynn, Haverhill, Salem, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

RYAN—McCORD.

Mr. Arnold J. Ryan and Miss Annie E. McCord, both of this city, were married yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. Martin of the Kirk street church.

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CONVICTED OF MURDER

JOHN KENNEDY WRECKED A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SLAUTON, Va., Oct. 28.—In the Augusta court here yesterday John Kennedy, alias Crawford, charged with wrecking a Norfolk and Western passenger train near Greenville, Va., last December, and with the murder of Engineer Bailey of Roanoke, who lost his life in the wreck, was convicted of murder in the first degree, the jury being out five minutes. Sentence will be closed at a later day in the term. Kennedy's accomplice, James Bailey, will be tried today and the trial of Mrs. Bailey, the aged mother of James Bailey, whom Kennedy claims planned the wreck, will occur next.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was the usual large attendance of members at the meeting of the Elks at Elks' hall last evening. Much routine business was transacted. The committee on memorial services made a report of progress. The lodge members were favored with the presence of two members of the order who are playing at the Casto Theatre—Bros. J. M. Norcross and Frank Fogerty, also Walter J. Menkin, during the evening. Songs and recitations were given and much enjoyed. The Elks' quartet was present and their college songs were encored. Bro. D. D. Driscoll sang "America."

The Elks' night at Casto Theatre is on Friday night, October 30.

Lowell Council, Knights of Columbus, are preparing for a smoke talk to be held at the council rooms Wednesday, November 4. Congressman W. S. McNary of Boston will be orator of the evening. Hon. J. E. Drury will preside and Hon. P. J. Brady will be chairman of the reception committee. A musical program is being arranged and in addition to this, there will be a hand ball match between teams representing the Knights of Columbus and some other local organization.

Garfield Colony, U. O. P. F., held its regular meeting last evening. A short musical program followed the business session. This colony is to hold a series of whist parties, the first to be November 7.

The regular meeting of Cercle d'Youville, Companions of the Forest, was held last evening in old Odd Fellows' hall. In the absence of Chief Ranger M. F. Caron, Sub Chief Ranger Cordelia Guertin presided. Routine business was transacted, after which one new member was initiated and two new propositions were received.

The regular meeting of Oberlin lodge was held last night and a new candidate was initiated. A discussion took place relative to the arrangements which have been under way in preparation for the reception to the grand officers. A collation will be served and all of the lodges have been given an invitation to be present. The following committee on entertainment was appointed at last night's meeting: Amos Kendall, William F. Stewart, J. R. Peabody, G. O. Hubbard, C. E. Farrington and all of the past grands of the lodge.

The annual visitation of Puritan Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held last night in Odd Fellows' Temple in Middlesex street. The event was attended by many members of the order. Previous to the initiation of several new members a dinner was served in the hall on the top floor. Among the many out-of-town guests present were the following: Sister Annie E. Blodgett, P. M., of Orient Chapter, No. 31, the Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Deputy Grand Marshal, Sister Emma F. Goodell, also P. M., of Orient Chapter of South Framingham; William Alden Blossom, past matron of Kingston Chapter, No. 18, of Boston; and others from Winter Harbor, Me., Stoneham, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua, Boston, Medford, Chelsea, Reading, Wilmington.

Among the present officers of the chapter are Mrs. Inez J. Whiting, N. M.; Samuel W. Kilpatrick, W. P.; Mrs. Mary McDonald, A. M.; Mrs. S. W. Kilpatrick, C.; Mrs. M. Shirley, treasurer and Mr. Frank Gray, secretary; all of whom have done very good work during the past year.

The supper was in charge of Sister Helen J. Talbot.

SISTER MARY STANISLAUS

WELL KNOWN NUN PASSED AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 28. Sister Mary Stanislaus, for over 53 years connected with the St. Francis Xavier order of the Providence diocese of the Roman Catholic church, died at the head house of the sisterhood here yesterday, aged about 70 years.

She was at one time a teacher in Woonsocket, after which she was superior in the houses at Pawtucket, Newport, Fall River and New Bedford. Sister Mary Stanislaus was formerly Miss Sphain, and was a native of Binghampton, N. Y.

PATRICK FOILED

In His Attempt to Get the Rice Millions

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28—The court of appeals yesterday placed a final negative upon the attempts of Albert T. Patrick to obtain the vast fortune of the deceased millionaire, William M. Rice, for whose murder he was under sentence of death in Sing Sing prison.

The court yesterday handed down a decision affirming that of the lower courts which threw out as a transparent for the alleged will of Mr. Rice which Patrick urged as superseding that admitted to probate by Surrogate Fitzgerald.

The will of Mr. Rice, thus sustained, makes no mention of Patrick, the bulk of the great estate, estimated at four millions or more, being bequeathed to the proposed "William M. Rice Institute for the advancement of literature, science and art," of Houston, Texas.

The will presented and urged in this appeal by Patrick left comparatively small bequests to the Rice Institute, and the bulk of the estate to Patrick.

The next stage in the extraordinary case will be the argument of Patrick's appeal from the conviction of murder in the first degree and the consequent sentence of death. Should the court set aside the sentence, there are indictments for forgery of this will and perjury in connection therewith, which are yet untried.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

SWEPT OVER SEVERAL BLOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—20 houses, including stores and private residences, were destroyed last night in a fire that swept over two city blocks in Kings bridge, at the upper end of Manhattan Island.

The section swept by the fire was the business section of the old village of Kings Bridge, composed of detachable frame structures that burned readily. The Kings Bridge hotel formerly a famous road house, was destroyed, the proprietor and his family barely escaping with their lives. The total property damage was about $150,000.

NEW FRENCH CLUB.

A movement is on foot among French-American residents of Centralville to form a club among the young men in the locality and a meeting was held last night at the residence of Eli Delisle in Hildreth street. Arthur Belisle, a son of Jacques Boisvert, and their friends, Ernest Mailly and Frank Monette are at the head of the movement. The club will be formed for social and sporting purposes and its charter members will number 20. It will be known as the Hildreth club.

The young men have rented a club house in Aiken avenue and the formal opening will take place Nov. 5, when the opening will be marked by a social card party.

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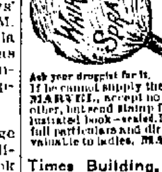

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SEVEN ARE DEAD

Passenger Train Ran Into Work Train

By Associated Press to The Sun

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 28—Word reached this city last night that the second section of an east-bound overland passenger train had run into a work train at Palisade, Nev., on the Central Pacific, and that seven section men were killed and several passengers injured. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train were also injured.

JACK JOHNSON WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 28—Jack Johnson got the decision over McVey at the end of twenty rounds here last night.

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KATE CLYDE

Defends the Brunette Woman From Her Long Time Calumniators---She Also Speaks of the Necessity of Putting the Best Foot Forward

DOES coloring affect the disposition? Are there certain blond and certain brunette characteristics? Well, why not? If a lack of certain matter in a certain spot in the brain produces eccentricity or loss of memory, why should not such a distinct and remarkable thing as coloring matter have effect?

There are certain characteristics which are possessed by nearly all brunettes and others which are possessed by blonds as a class. For instance, there never was a black haired woman who did not have the courage of her convictions, who did not think for herself and with obstinacy cling to her own conclusion, even though it were a wrong one, until she herself was convinced it was a wrong one. Now, I don't know whether this is admirable, but one thing is certain—any girl who can hold her own opinion or sustain a certain line of conduct in spite of the opinion of other people has within her the possibility of being original, and that is something rather rare and precious in womankind. Of course I don't say for one minute that brunettes are the only ones who are original, but this is true of them as a class—they are not easily led.

Admirers dangling at her heels.

Blonds Are Adaptable.

Blonds, on the other hand, are far more adaptable. They are naturally more gentle and therefore less averse to adopting other people's views and opinions. They learn easily and are more obedient to authority. A brunette may or may not learn easily, but one thing is sure—once an idea has entered her head she hangs on to it with a persistency which is sometimes awkward. This quality she carries even into her love affairs.

Study your history and you will see that the blond women, as a rule, were pleasure loving and luxurious; that they held court with their throngs of admirers dangling at their heels; that they smiled sweetly on some and sent others of whom they tired to death. But you will scarcely find one blond woman in all the pages who suffered for love, and none who struggled madly for it, who gave up all in life and even died for it, as did the black and red haired women.

An explosion of wrath.

The Vilified Brunette.

This may sound like a defense of brunettes. Well, yes, it is, for to the brunettes have been ascribed all sorts of fiendish characteristics, while the blonds have been idealized in saints' garb from the beginning of the world.

But here is the truth of the matter: The brunette is nearer in her nature to a man. She is anything in the world but narrow minded and petty. It is the blond who whines and nags; it is the brunette who silently endures until all of a sudden there is an explosion of wrath—and the deluge. It is hard to find an ungenerous brunette, but it is not at all hard to find countless selfish blonds. Luxury and comfort mean more to a blond woman than anything in this world, and nine times in ten she marries for material reasons and not for love. A blond will love one day and forget the next and love again on the third day, but a brunette never forgets either her love or her hate. When a brunette wants a thing she wants it and is going to have it even if she has to break through stone walls to reach it. A blond can be persuaded that she doesn't want it. The sins of the blond are petty; the sins of the brunette are never that.

The Brunette Commands.

Take two girls together, a blond and a brunette, and which one takes the leadership? The brunette every time, even if she is the younger. So let the dark haired girls be at least proud of their virtue of strength, which is admired alike in men and women.

Some women were discussing the other day what made certain girls popular and vice versa, and one of them observed very justly that one of the little things which make a girl unpopular is the thrusting of herself forward when she is a newcomer in a place. There are some girls so impatient to "get there" that they will not wait for advances from other people. And that is a big mistake. If you stand still in most cases it obliges the other person to make some move, but if you make all the moves yourself there is nothing left for the other to do but criticise them.

The Jealous Girl.

And, while we are on the subject of peculiar girls, did you ever notice this particular antic of the jealous one? When she sees a group of people talking she positively cannot keep away; she has to come up and see if they are planning or discussing something from which she is left. She hovers around like an unquiet spirit on the perpetual lookout for confidences which she does not share, and this is the way she gets snubbed:

Miss Jealous, seeing a man laughing with a group of young girls, feels she can stand it no longer. With a dex-

"I was looking for Miss Brown."

terous side swoop she is upon them, eyes alight and lips parted in an ingratiating smile. Silence immediately falls upon the group. She is a trifle disconcerted.

"Oh—er," she gushes. "I was looking for Miss Brown." Then she pauses, waiting for some one to resume the conversation.

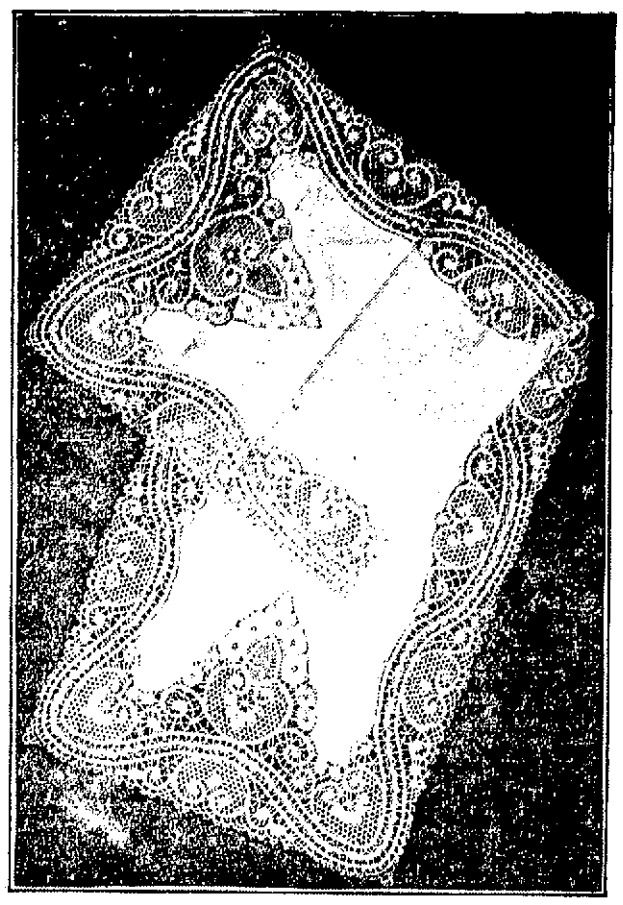
"Well, you can see for yourself that she isn't here," remarks coolly one of her long suffering victims. And in the silence that follows there is nothing for Miss Jealous to do but depart, which she does, much crestfallen.

Appearance Counts For Much.

And still another thing which many girls do not realize, and that is the necessity of keeping up one's appearance. If you are stupid or poor or unlucky don't let people know it. If you have good clothes, for mercy's sake wear them and don't let them hang in the closet until they are out of style. Don't wear one suit all the time because it is comfortable. Live in as good a house as you can afford, even if you have to practice hidden economies. Above all, keep a smiling countenance no matter what happens. This habit involves little effort after you become accustomed to it, and it will certainly bring you many friends and good times.

Kate Clyde

New York.



THE SMARTEST THING IN TABLE LACE—FRENCH CREPON SCARF.

WOMEN WALKERS.

In Berlin a number of young women employed in millinery establishments recently got up a contest to see who among them could walk the greatest distance in twenty-four hours. Unfortunately the novelty of the match excited so much public attention that the police interfered after the first five and twenty miles had been covered on the ground that it was impeding the traffic. It is said that both the emperor and empress were among the spectators witnessing the start.

A pedestrian match that succeeded in Berlin, however, took the equally novel form of twelve ladies under twenty years of age competing with twelve ladies of forty years of age in walking fifty times round one of the principal squares. The contest was decided at night, and, contrary to the general expectation, resulted in an easy win for the more mature competitors.

Among English women the palm for exploits of this nature should undoubtedly go to a certain Mrs. Sharp of Bradford. The performance by which she is best remembered among pedestrians was the truly remarkable one of walking a thousand miles in a thousand hours. So far as mere speed is concerned this is perhaps nothing out of the common. The noteworthy point about it, however, consists in the extraordinary endurance that was required to carry it out without breaking down.

GOOD FOR THE FEET.

If there is anything that spoils one's winter season it is the unwelcome presence of chilblains. Here is a remedy for these destroyers of our comfort: First make a wash by dissolving alum in warm water, then apply it with a warm cloth night and morning. The relief is almost instantaneous. Do not use very much alum in making the wash and don't soak the feet in alum water. Alum is useful in so many ways that you should always have a box of it on your toilet table.

Girls often suffer from excessive perspiration of the feet. A very good cure for this annoying complaint is a lotion made by infusions of sage or rosemary. After applying the liquid and allowing the feet to dry they should be powdered with starch. It is advisable to change the stockings as often as possible. A good method of treating your feet when they are very tired is to bathe them in salt water. The care of the feet is a most important factor in retaining your health, and it is a thing which girls are apt to neglect. Many colds are taken through the ankles; therefore keep them warm and well protected.

SHE WANTS TO KNOW.

A witty club woman asks: "Why is it that nothing that could be uttered by a spinster on the management of husbands, no matter how wise or how learned the spinster might be, would ever command serious attention, while the dictates of a confirmed bachelor (Paul) who lived nearly 2,000 years ago in a civilization differing in nearly every particular from our own is still made the standard of excellence for wives?"

COLLECTING MIRRORS.

Within the past few years a decided fad for the collecting of antique mirrors has developed, and many a looking glass of ancient days, treasured more for association's sake than for its intrinsic value, has assumed considerable importance commercially. Colonial mirrors are having a decided vogue at the present time, more particularly those decorated with a pastel across the top.

NAGGING MOTHERS.

She was not a cross looking mother by any means. She was nicely dressed and ladylike in her appearance as she entered the public dining room and was seated, together with her little child, at the same table with me.

Her order was given, the food brought, and then began low toned but continual commands to the child.

"Eat your dinner now; eat it up." Silence for a moment. "Don't gaze around the room. Eat your dinner." Silence. "Eat your dinner, now." Every time the poor child dared hesitate over a single mouthful the command was shot at her to "eat" until, my own pleasure in the meal being spoiled, I left.

Children are often worried because their mothers are too attentive and continually reprove the small ones without reason.

A child should be left alone and be allowed to play or amuse itself in its own way without the constant direction of a nervous mother.

A boy, for example, enjoys more a few simple toys and something which his own ingenuity has worked out than the most elaborate plaything which has been bought.

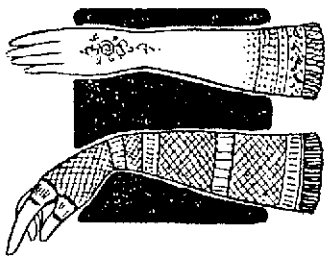
In the same way the little girl will lavish her affections on a misshapen doll, probably made at home, while the most artistic production of the toyshop will lie in state, to be taken up on rare occasions.

Keep children well, clothe them sensibly, let them understand they are to amuse themselves and don't annoy them.

If your selfish love has hitherto kept your children dependent upon you it is your duty lovingly to teach them self reliance. A wholesome letting alone and as much personal freedom as may be compatible with its moral development brings the highest good and the truest pleasure to a child.

LACE MITTS FOR EVENING.

All smart girls will be glad to avail themselves of the new lace mitts. With evening dress they are much used. They are easily made at home, and there are certain advantages of the homemade article. You can choose a



LACE GLOVE AND MITT CONTRASTED.

thinner lace and a pattern quite unique. For instance, there is a beautiful homemade pair of mitts made with lace of a butterfly pattern and so cut that the embroidered butterfly rests on the back of the hand, while the remainder of the mitt is of plain spotted net. The advantage of showing pretty rings and well kept finger nails instead of incasing them in gloves is apparent.

PAPER STOCKINGS.

Paper gloves and stockings are now being manufactured in Europe. As to the manner in which the former are made little is known, but the stockings have been carefully examined by experts, and they are loud in their praise of them. Let no one assume, they say, that these stockings because they are made of paper will only last a few days, for they will last almost as long as ordinary stockings. The reason, they point out, is because the paper of which they are made was during the process of manufacture rendered into a substance closely resembling wool and was then woven and otherwise treated as ordinary wool.

LINEN TAFFETA CURTAINS.

Draperies of linen taffeta in white with flecks of satin through the material have the most tasteful borders. One pair has a moss green ribbon design around them holding bunches of violets. The pattern is four or five inches from the edge of the curtains and they are finished with a green cording.

Mrs. Russell Sage And Her Opinions

WE were listening to a lecture on the upbuilding of the body and the whole environment and circumstances of our lives through ever thinking thoughts of health, beauty, goodness and comfortable financial circumstances. In time new brain cells would be built, and body and outward circumstance would outpicture the longed for conditions. The lecturer herself was a noble specimen of physical beauty, artistically and æsthetically gowned in gray that looked like a mist of the morning. She seemed a woman of the coming race, large, queenly and radiant faced.

At the close of her lecture she was enthusiastically applauded by fair, white gloved hands. As the applause ceased a slender, wiry little lady the exact antithesis of the superb lecturer arose and made some announcement in a voice that had a ring of steel in it, as if its undervibrations were saying, "That's the truth, and if you don't agree with me you are dead wrong, and that settles it." The lady was dressed all in black and wore a little black toque bravely tied under her chin three years after even old women in Paris and America had ceased to wear bonnet strings.

Mrs. Russell Sage.

The little lady in black looked as if she might be seventy years old and did not care who knew it. Her features were strong, though symmetrical, and her mouth shut like a steel trap. Her face was shrewd and kindly as well as intellectual, yet had a merry twinkle in its gray eye withal.

Her personality was so marked and so markedly in contrast to that of the preacher of the beauty gospel who had preceded her that I asked a handsomely gowned woman near me who the lady was with white hair and bonnet strings tied under her chin.

"That? Oh, that's Mrs. Russell Sage."

Instantly I said to myself, "And if any woman on this planet can manage 'Uncle Russ' this one can."

It is really true that Mrs. Russell Sage exercises a more humanizing influence on the great financier than anybody else ever did. Maybe it is because she was a schoolmistress in her youth and learned to manage not only school children, but grown ups. She is president of the Emma Willard association, a director of the Woman's hospital in New York and a member of various patriotic societies among women. It is on record that once she attended the annual dinner eaten to the memory of the pilgrim mothers. It was a dinner given by women, but men were permitted to be present and do honor to the occasion. Mrs. Sage—maiden name Margaret Olivia Slocum—is a direct descendant in the seventh generation from Miles Standish, and she looks and acts the part.

At the close of that pilgrim mothers' dinner the men present began to smoke. Mrs. Sage left the banquet hall sickened with tobacco fumes and disheartened over women who met in honor of the pilgrim mothers and went home with hair and clothing steeped in stale tobacco smoke. She declared she could not endure tobacco smoke and would never attend such another unholy exploitation of the pilgrim mothers' memory.

The smoker inebriate is Mrs. Sage's especial aversion. She has said: "I believe that smoking is the main cause of the inefficiency of many men. Smoking has a soporific effect, and the men sit and dream and are lulled into forgetfulness of what should most interest them."

The little lady with the decided mouth clinched her opinions with an illustration most forceful. There was among the governors of the Woman's hospital at one time the now exploded superstition that a man superintendent was necessary in order that his authority should be respected; that a woman would not be obeyed by the employees. Accordingly, the flag of the superintendent masculine waved over the Woman's hospital. There began to be serious complaint. The gentleman superintendent did not get his breakfast until half past 8, a serious misdemeanor in the estimation of the early stirring Mrs. Sage, with her New England habits of activity. Then, after his luxurious 8:30 breakfast, the gentleman superintendent shut himself up in his rooms and "smoked for an indefinite time, during which nobody could get at him for anything."

Affairs began to go so badly that the man's resignation was at length accepted, and a woman was put in his place. After that, Mrs. Sage says, expenses were reduced one-third, everything was kept exquisitely neat, and the patients were supplied with dainties that mean so much to an invalid and that a woman's mind always suggests.

One more object lesson on the smoking habit Mrs. Sage gives. A relative of her own was seized with mortal illness at a hotel, and two men nurses were hired. They kept the room of that dying man foul and saturated with tobacco smoke. If a visitor opened the door unexpectedly the man nurse was usually found lying upon a couch with a cigar and newspaper, reposing and smoking till perhaps a groan from the patient recalled him to a sense of what he was there for. Mrs. Sage's words are clean cut and to the point, and she does not use too many. She would have made a jolly good newspaper woman if she could have repressed somewhat that sharply critical spirit of hers. She concludes the account of the men nurses with this moral:

"Had those nurses been women they would have attended to things conscientiously. The room would have been kept neat, quiet and untainted with cigar smoke. They would scarcely have left the bedside a moment. Their sympathy would have been enlisted for the sufferer, and they would have striven to afford him comfort in his last illness."

Usually the more ignorant an individual is the more opinions that person expresses on things he does not know about. Mrs. Sage is an exception. She has more opinions to the square inch of her brain pan than almost any other intelligent lady of her time, and she speaks them straight out regardless. She is a bonanza for the newspaper interviewer, and she always has something racy and interesting to say. Whatever does not square itself with her Puritan conscience she does not hesitate to oppose forcibly. Of Sunday observance she says, "In our old home up state at 6 o'clock on Saturday night all work was laid aside and not resumed till Monday morning at 6 o'clock." The strict ideas and usages of the "old home up state" are just about right to Mrs. Russell Sage still. She mentions with hearty approval the plan of a young lady who lets her six men friends come to her house Sunday afternoon, but when they are there the young lady reads the Bible to them, and then they all discuss the chapter.

Yet, conservative as she is, Mrs. Sage is an upholder, noble, strong and upspoken, of all that fosters higher education, industrial opportunity and the gaining of legal and civil rights for her own sex. She believes women, married or single, should be pecuniarily independent. She and Miss Helen Gould, her most intimate friend, though so much younger, are both woman suffragists. There is a strange sort of eternal youthfulness about Mrs. Sage in spite of the black bonnet strings that draws around her young men and women in their twenties, and she is to them companionable and intensely interesting. They forget—so does she—the difference in years and meet on the plane of soul which knows no age.

Unknown to the world mostly, Mrs. Sage gives large sums in useful philanthropy, but she has little sympathy with beggarly charity. She says in her emphatic way:

"If people would only use their wits and do what they ought to do they would not need to ask for money."

LILLIAN GRAY.

THESE WOMEN CAN WORK.

Three Italian women applied recently for work on the Chicago street cleaning force. One of them had worked two years in Naples handling freight, had wheeled a wheelbarrow at the excavation of Pompeii and carried bricks in Naples. Another had worked in the vineyards near Milan, had tamped down stones in the streets and for a year had been harnessed with a dog to haul a milk wagon. The third had worked eight years in Italy cleaning streets and had worked in stone quarries two years. Mrs. Paul, the woman superintendent of a Chicago ward cleaning brigade, was in favor of employing the women, but Superintendent Solon thought they had better stick to housework.

KHEDIVE PEARS.

Take one pound of stewing pears, peel and core, making each hole large enough to contain a date. The dates must have first been well washed and drained. Put the pears into a jar and add a few extra dates; pour a wineglassful of cooking sherry over them, add a little sugar and let them stew in a slow oven for about eight hours. Pears cooked in this way and served with cream are delicious.

MUSEUM OF THE BALLET.

Paris has a museum of objects relating to the ballet. It includes everything from old ballet skirts to jewelry worn by famous dancers. There are also casts of the feet of these terpsichoreans, among them being one of Mme. Vestris' feet. It was made for Lord Fife at a cost of $5,000 and sold after his death for 50 cents.

"I presume you carry a memento of some sort in that locket of yours?" "Precisely. It is a lock of my husband's hair." "But your husband is still alive." "Yes; but his hair is all gone."

THE WAY OF THE MAN WHO IS MARRIED.

MR. GRAVABLE GRUMPUS is a respectable middle aged citizen. He has arrived at that time of life when he cares more for his little comforts, particularly his dinners, than for almost anything else. It is not convenient for him to stoop over or to move rapidly. Therefore Mr. Grumpus presents an appearance of dignity.

Mr. Grumpus goes downtown in the street car every morning to business and comes back in the afternoon about 6 o'clock. He usually occupies one of the choice seats, nearest the window, in a car. It is comfortable to be next the window.

Once not long ago when Mr. Grumpus returned home in the afternoon a lady was with him. She was a good looking woman, well dressed and, like himself, inclined to be stout. But Mr. Grumpus had not in this instance departed from his habit of securing creature comfort for himself. He occupied the inner seat next the window. The lady sat upon the outside, where broad bodied men shoved past her or leaned in a tumbledown way upon the back of her seat and knocked her hat out of plumb.

The lady in spite of these little unpleasant matters was doing her best to entertain Mr. Grumpus. She was evidently pleased to be with him and made herself particularly animated. She gazed admiringly into his face, she told him the little incidents of the day, she laughed aloud, she scanned Mr. Grumpus' well fed, purple red countenance anxiously at each of her witty sallies, if perchance she might not waken even a faint smile upon that solemn countenance.

But not a glance of appreciation, not the ghost of a smile. Grumpus looked bored; nothing more. He yawned at her best joke. When she asked him a question outright he just uttered the masculine grunt contemptuous; that was all. Presently he opened a newspaper, spread it out in the lady's face, raised it as a shield between himself and her so she could no longer get at him, then turned toward the window and read all the rest of the way.

The lady looked discomfited and disappointed.

A second time Mr. Gravable Grumpus went home in company with a lady in the street car. She was no handsomer than the first one, not quite so tastefully dressed, nor did she seem strenuous in her attempts to entertain Grumpus. But Mr. Grumpus was making a strenuous effort to entertain her. He was all animation and gentlemanly courtesy. You would have thought he was a youth of twenty going somewhere with his best girl. He insisted that the lady sit next the window, he closed the window lest the draft chill her. He encountered the bumps and the sprawling over of heavy men upon him in the outside seat with equanimity, not to say alacrity.

He told the lady amusing incidents he had witnessed downtown that day. He explained to her the wonders of a new electrical invention that was to revolutionize heating and lighting in people's homes.

His memory wandered back to the days when he was a boy, and he told her of the changes that had occurred in the sphere of woman since then. He was glad that women now were having better treatment industrially than they had got thirty years ago, and he added gallantly that so far at least as his breast was concerned—slapping his chest—the old time chivalry of man toward the weaker sex had not died out. Mr. Grumpus made merry jokes, he propounded new conundrums, he called up the resources of a mind enriched by fifty years of experience and observation and brought them to bear on the entertainment of the lady during the journey of three-quarters of an hour. As they stepped from the car a flower vender stood near. Mr. Grumpus purchased a bunch of fragrant purple violets and presented them to the lady with a bow that would have done credit to Sir Walter Raleigh. The lady said to herself:

"Mr. Gravable Grumpus is one of the most delightful men I ever met."

The first lady was Mr. Grumpus' wife, the second was an acquaintance, one of Mr. Grumpus' wife's friends.

TABITHA SOURGRAPES.

WHITE ARMS.

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BLACK DOTTED CHIFFON RECEPTION FROCK.

This exquisite black chiffon creation is made distinctive by white dots on the black tissue. A design of heavy cream lace in ribbon effect adorns the skirt and forms a bertha.

LIVED IN LOWELL

Murderer of President Sakooni Bought a Hat Here

A Boston or a Lowell man, or at least a some time patron of a Boston and Lowell clothing concern, is probably the assassin of Saghatel Sakooni, president of the Armenian revolutionary society in London, who was murdered in Nunhead, near London, late Monday evening.

Sakooni, who returned to London Monday, after settling up the affairs of an associate in Switzerland, who was recently assassinated by stabbing, was entering his residence when a man rushed across the road and fired four shots at Sakooni in quick succession, the last bullet entering the region of the heart.

The murderer, who appeared to be a foreigner, fled. The only clews to the man in possession of the authorities are a hat and a silver-plated revolver, which he dropped in his flight.

"The hat," according to a London dispatch, "is a black derby with the name of the vender stamped inside, showing it to have been sold by The Bell Clothing Co., 132 Columbus avenue, and 31 to 38 Terrynack street." The name of the town is partly erased. Its first two letters are 'M. O.' and the last two are 'I. L.'"

The murderer's pistol is an automatic, magazine 10-shot weapon.

There is 1132 Columbus avenue, Boston, and at 31 to 37 Merrimack street, Lowell, a concern known as The Bell Clothing company. Wet and moisture have probably obliterated the stamped lettering in the hat to an extent that an "M" might be mistaken for a "T," making the name "Merrimack" instead of "Terrynack." The same causes probably make "L. O." and "E. L." appear as "M. O." and "I. L." the completed word, in all likelihood, being "LOWELL."

The managers of the Bell Clothing company in Lowell stated last evening that it is very likely that they may have sold to an Armenian a derby hat like the one found as a clew in the London assassination. The company has practically no Armenian trade in Boston. In Lowell, however, the concern has many Armenian customers among the mill operatives and other foreign residents.

On the meagre clew furnished by the impression in the inside of the hat the proprietors could say nothing more positive than that the hat might have been sold by them. They say that it must have been purchased some time ago, probably two years, if the inscription is as defaced as described.

It is expected by the London authorities that Sakooni's death is only the prelude to other chapters in the story of a bitter blood feud. The London police state two men were with the assassin at the time of the shooting, and that they appeared almost to force the latter to fire. Other persons connected with the Armenian society have requested police protection.

The murdered man, who was a mining engineer, became wealthy in the Caucasus and devoted his money to the Armenian cause. His society was entirely passive and opposed to violence, and it is thought this attitude inspired the advanced section of the Armenians with the desire for vengeance, the latter claiming that Sakooni's society devoted funds to charity which would have been better applied to violent remedies for the Armenian grievances.

Sakooni is said to have moved to England from America early in 1902.

It is stated that his life had been threatened on account of his participation in the exposure by the editor of a Boston newspaper, Young Armenia, of the misappropriation of funds by a faction of the Armenian revolutionists.

These men are alleged to have collected $20,000 in America in 1902 and to have put the money in their own pockets. Instead of pushing the propaganda for the emancipation of the Armenians, for which the money was subscribed.

VERY GOOD THING

Clerks of A. G. Pollard & Co., Form Society

A benefit society has been formed by the clerks of A. G. Pollard & Co. They met last night in the Institute building in Middle street. The organization will be known as The A. G. Pollard & Co. Relief association. The object of the society is to promote the good interests of all concerned by closer contact in leisure hours. A sick benefit will also be provided. Mr. Pollard has given the association the use of the hall free for permanent quarters. He was present at the meeting last night and warmly approved of it, promising the hearty co-operation of the firm. Officers will be elected at the next meeting.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY.

The annual banquet of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society was held at the First Baptist church last evening.

This was the first banquet held since the resignation of Mrs. H. C. Fuller, who for six years previous had been its superintendent. Mrs. Fuller was the recipient of a large picture, Secretary Harry L. Woodman making the presentation in behalf of the society.

Miss Emily Simpson has taken Mrs. Fuller's place as the new superintendent. Pastor Smith T. Ford spoke on "What the Junior Society Has Done," and was followed by the Sunday school superintendent, H. L. Tibbetts, who made a few remarks suitable to the occasion.

There was a piano solo by Master Forest Wiggin, a violin solo by Miss Lillian Gifford, a song by Hattie Smithhurst, accompanied by her sister, Jennie, and readings by Miss Ella Smith.

There were 150 present at the banquet and Harry Woodman acted as toastmaster.

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Coffee paralysis is not common but there are more cases than folks imagine and there are cases where the nervous victim keeps on with the coffee until the trouble is chronic and incurable.

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"My trouble was a numbness or half paralyzed sensation that would creep over me especially bad at night, commencing in my arms, shoulders and down to my left side and was followed by terrible pains and a prickly sensation that is beyond description. My hands would puff up and feel like great lumps, so thick and heavy and unnatural. I could do absolutely no work of any kind.

"It was then that my mother persuaded me that my condition was largely due to the use of coffee, of which I was a great lover. She knew what leaving off coffee and using Postum had done in her own case and she finally persuaded me to make the same shift, which I did without much faith. To my everlasting surprise the change was wonderful for all my old complaints soon lessened and are now completely gone. The terrible feelings and sensations that I cannot describe have stopped completely and I feel as if new rich, red blood was flowing through my veins bringing me health and happiness.

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FIRED AT DIAZ

PRESIDENT DIAZ.

Attempt to Kill President of Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

GUANAJUATO, Mexico, Oct. 28.—Great excitement was caused yesterday by an attempt on the life of President Diaz who was a guest of the state government during the festivities here. The president, his staff and guests were passing by the Cantagor garden in a street car when a man of the lower class named Ellis Toscano, approached the car shouting and fired five shots from a revolver at the car. None of the shots took effect.

Packlo Escandon, of the president's staff rushed out of the car and caught the man, wrenching the revolver from him. The police took Toscano to prison. He is a man with a bad criminal record and was but recently released from prison at Greanditas where he had served a term for homicide. The matter will be investigated. The president remained perefectly cool and was acclaimed by the crowd of citizens who showed their joy at his escape.

Toscano's evil record renders the theory of a deliberate attempt at assassination probable.

The president received the congratulations of the citizens and diplomatic corps.

DAN PATCH'S TURN

He Smashed Two More World's Records

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 28—Speed lingers in the air these closing days of the greatest season the harness horse has ever known, a yesterday afternoon three world's records were changed.

Dan Patch, the fastest of his kind, paced a half-mile in 56 seconds, a cut of one and one-half seconds in the previous record for the distance made last Saturday by Prince Alert.

A little later he was brought on the track hooked to a wagon, and paced a mile in 1.57¼. In his half-mile dash he stepped the second quarter in .27½, a 1.50 gait.

Major Delmar lowered his record to 1.59¾, making the third trotter to beat two minutes.

There was a fairly fresh breeze blowing, otherwise the conditions were perfect for fast time. The speed shown by Dan Patch shows that when he is good and fit the son of Joe Patchen is in a class by himself. The rating in both Dan Patch's and Major Delmar's miles was of the best. The champion gelding's quarters were trotted in 30, 30, 29¾, 30 seconds, and the pacing king's in 29½, 29, 29½, 29¼.

This splendid rating, made possible by having the pacemaker in front, has played a much more important part in the record-breaking miles which have been so frequent this year than the much-talked about wind shield

Half miles better than a minute are getting quite common, and yesterday afternoon John M. paced one mile in 59½ seconds and Star Hal one in 59¾. Both these performances were in races.

The free-for-all pace was a hard one for the talent, as neither Dariel nor Harold H., the rattle-brain Hoosier, was on a pace and tramped on his field after Dariel and won the first heat.

The third renewal of the famous Transylmuila brought forth a small field, only 15 males taking the word. Geers' entry, Dardal, was not headed, and the silent man now has two bronze trophies for winning this event. A lot of money was bet on the race, with Geers carrying the bulk of it. The time for the mile was hung out as 1.54¾, but as the timers were fresh from Witchita, where Cresceus trotted in 1.59¾, over a track where grass is growing, the record is doubted. Over in Kansas these timers are said to have made a mistake of three seconds, yesterday it was three minutes.

ITS ANNIVERSARY

THE MATHEWS WILL CELEBRATE ON JANUARY 1, 1904.

The Mathews held their regular weekly meeting last evening and considered a large amount of business. Pres. H. F. Sullivan was in the chair and five propositions for membership were read and four new members admitted.

Mr. Denis J. Sullivan, chairman of the committee of five, chosen at the last meeting to consider the advisability of observing the anniversary of the institute, recommended on behalf of the committee that the anniversary be observed. The date of the event is Jan. 1, 1904. A committee of twenty-five members will arrange for the event, but what nature the affair will assume is not determined on as yet and that matter is to be decided by the committee of twenty-five.

The committee in charge of the membership team contest reported that the committee was meeting with great success and expects to have the contest well under way in a few weeks.

MRS. LAMAR DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MACON, Ga., Oct. 28—Mrs. L. Q. C. Lamar, wife of the former justice of the United States Supreme court, died last night at her residence in this city.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB MET.

There was a large attendance at the Educational club yesterday afternoon. The program consisted of selections from Beethoven, Greig and Chopin, by Miss Ethel Livingston, which were highly pleasing.

Mrs. McBride sang "Oh, Promise delightfully. The little daughter of Dr. delightfully. Thelittle daughter of Dr. Varney of North Chelmsford sang "Rock-a-Bye Baby," to the enjoyment of all.

After the meeting tea and light refreshments were served.

At the next meeting the subject for discussion will be "California."

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PRESIDENT INTERESTED

IN MOVEMENT TO LEVEE BANKS OF MISSISSIPPI.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28.—Resolved to appeal to the Federal government for adequate aid to levee both banks of the Mississippi river and to maintain such levee at maximum grade, thereby making possible the reclamation and protection of the Aluvial lands and improving navigation, the largest and most influential levee convention yet held in the valley convened here yesterday.

A letter from President Roosevelt to Mr. Parker, chairman of the committee on arrangements aroused much enthusiasm. The president wrote:

"My dear Mr. Parker: Permit me through you to express my very great interest in the work of the inter-state levee convention. Exactly as I have taken a keen interest in irrigation in the arid regions, so I feel that the movement for thoroughly protecting the Mississippi lowlands by levees is one of importance to the whole country no less than to the people immediately adjoining the great river. I wish all success to your convention and shall follow its proceedings with close attention.

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

A resolution was adopted thanking the president for his manly and patriotic letter endorsing the purpose for which this convention was called.

MONTHLY MEETING

OF WOMEN'S RELIANCE OF FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Reliance of the First Unitarian church was held yesterday afternoon in the church parlor.

After the reading of the reports the meeting was addressed by Rev. Charles T. Billings, pastor, who talked upon the Prophet Adams. There was an unusually large attendance and after the meeting tea was served by Mrs. E. H. Scribner and Mrs. George Bowers.

CANADA'S FUTURE

GRANT'S GRANDSON MAKES A PREDICTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—"I believe, and have always been taught, that Canada is by right a part of the United States and will be some day, by force or favor."

These words, published yesterday in a Toronto newspaper over the signature of "Algernon Sartoris, grandson of Gen. U. S. Grant," have provoked harsh words, and Mr. Sartoris is promised rough handling if he comes to this city from his summer residence at Coburg, just east of here.

Interviewed yesterday, he said:

"Yes, I did say it was merely the favor of the United States that gave Canada its present lease of life as a nation.

"What does England care for her colony here? She has just shown that feeling, and Canadians admit it. The United States must have the dominion some day, and it might as well take it now.

"Could they take it? Well, now, what are you laughing about? Of course they could. I have heard the question discussed ardently among army officers of the republic.

"Of course they know the Canadians will fight, but the Americans think they would be convinced of the advantage they were to derive from being made a free people—part of the greatest republic in the world."

Mr. Sartoris leaves Coburg for Cincinnati Saturday, and thence goes to St. Louis to spend the rest of the winter.

CO-OPERATIVE BANK PROSPEROUS.

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Lowell Co-Operative bank, held last evening, some four thousand dollars was loaned on real estate at 5 and 5 1-4 per cent., and a dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum for the last six months was declared. The new series of shares is now for sale, 100 having been already taken. Eighty-three shares in series 11 have just matured, the value of each share being $203.53; $144 having been paid in per share during the last 12 years at $1 per month, $59.53 being the earnings.

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SENTENCE CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28—The court of appeals yesterday confirmed the conviction and sentence of death upon Thomas Tobin for the murder of Captain Craft in a tenderloin resort in New York city last fall. Thomas Tobin was manager of "The Empire," a drinking resort on West 29th street. Craft went into the place late at night and displayed a roll of money. He was induced to take a room for the night and after the drinking place was closed he was killed for his money and his body chopped up and put in the furnace to burn. Craft's life was taken for a sum of less than $50.

The court of appeals also confirmed the conviction and sentence of death upon William B. Ennis of Brooklyn. Ennis shot and killed his wife, Mary Ennis, in Brooklyn in January, 1902. His defense was insanity.

EX-AUDITOR LADD DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 28—Charles Renszaler Ladd, ex-state auditor of Massachusetts, died here yesterday of palsy after five months treatment at St. Luke's hospital. Mr. Ladd lived in Springfield, Mass. He leaves a widow and daughter.

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5.45	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.25	7.40	6.30	7.36
a6.39	7.30	7.35	8.55
a6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.03	e8.00	9.37
e*7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.35	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
b11.43	12.25	e3.00	3.37
e12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
a1.58	2.39	e5.00	5.57
a3.03	4.20	5.38	6.25
a3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.54
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
a4.32	6.15	e7.30	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e9.30	9.08
e*6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
e*7.22	8.10	11.20	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

a8.39	7.50	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.58
a8.20	10.15	e7.30	8.08
a4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
a5.58	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.35	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.50	5.50
3.10	4.10	5.01	7.03
3.55	5.04	6.25	7.46
5.06	6.43	9.03	10.40
6.15	7.16	B11.15	12.15
7.00	8.06		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.27
5.30	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

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COWS.

C. H. Hanson & Co. will have arrive Friday a carload of choice new milch and springer cows.

BULBS.

Now is the time to take care of bulbs. McManmon, the florist, has the largest and best assortment of bulbs to be found in Lowell. He is the only importer of these goods direct from the growers from France and Japan. He handles the kind that grow easily in any house and will cheerfully instruct you how to handle them.

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AT THE ARMORY.

Company G has made arrangements for a dance to be held on November 6th.

The bowling alleys at the armory are being put in shape and a tournament will be opened very soon.

One of the attractions at the armory this winter will be indoor base ball. The uniforms and different goods to be used have been ordered.

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ANDOVER CONFERENCE

Met With Chelmsford Congregationalists Yesterday

The Andover conference was held yesterday in the Chelmsford Centre Congregatinal church and was largely attended.

The morning session was called to order by Moderator William Shaw of Ballardvale, Dr. A. W. Burnham of the Kirk Street church, Lowell, being the recording secretary.

Prayer was offered by Rev. G. E. Martin, D. D., of Lowell. In the absence of the pastor of the entertaining church, Rev. E. C. Bartlett, Rev. John M. Greene, D. D., of Lowell, gave the address of welcome, in the course of which he said that it was twenty-four years ago since the conference met at Chelmsford.

Moderator Shaw responded in brief remarks.

The records of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Dr. Burnham, and were approved and adopted. It was stated that the average attendance for 14 years had been 117. Delegates present last year had numbered 129, while this year just 100 presented credentials. The committee of arrangements reported through the program.

A business committee of three, to include the committee upon nominations, was appointed by the conference. They were Rev. Mr. Page of Lawrence, Rev. C. W. Huntington of Lowell, and Deacon Archibald of Methuen.

It was mentioned that since the last meeting of the conference death had removed Rev. Edwin Smith, pastor of the Ballardvale church, and a committee was appointed to express to the assembly and the family of the deceased the feeling of sorrow and great loss sustained in his decease.

Rev. G. E. Lovejoy, Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover, and Dr Greene of Lowell were appointed to attend to the framing of the resolutions

The first speaker of the day was Rev. C. W. Huntington, D.D., and his theme was: "The Union of Denominations."

Dr. Huntington said that last April a representative committee of the United Brethren, the Methodist Protestants, the Christians and the Congregationalists met at Pittsburg to consult as to the feasibility of the four denominations coming into closer relationship with each other. It was decided that the Christians were not ready to join in the movement, but the other three denominations were ready for such an affiliation, and they so reported to the full committee last July. The results of the conference were a series of proposals to be submitted to the churches at the triennial conference which meets three years from this month. It was thought practicable that efforts be made towards absolute union of the three denominations. Also that a general council according to membership be appointed, one representative for every 5000 members to perfect the union. This committee to have no legislative power, but simply advisory authority. The object of this unison will be to increase the educational and missionary labors of these three denominations; to unite several weak churches, and make one strong organization, particularly in rural districts. The proposition of the union is to be brought before the three denominations at their several conferences. "It is a woeful pity," said Dr. Huntington, "that the Christian body should be so divided. The Congregationalists number 650,000, the United Brethren 250,000, the Methodist Protestant 185,000."

It is thought by the union that religion may be made more effective, as differences in the denominations are not in creed, but are solely in the methods of church government.

"The reception of children to church membership" was the subject of a discourse by Rev. C. H. Oliphant of Melrose.

Discussions on the themes presented followed in which Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Lawrence and Rev. E. V. Bigelow of Lowell participated.

Rev. Ralph Gillam took the place of Rev. T. Clayton Welles, who was to have spoken on "Family Prayer."

Discussions followed, in which Rev. Sarah R. Dixon of Tyngsboro asked: "Should wives who have unconverted husbands have a family altar, and how is it possible to do so, when the father and some of the older children are called away to the mills and stores before the younger children are down stairs?" In answer, some thought it was not necessary to have family prayers in the early morning hours, as there was danger in the stereotyped method of reading from the Bible, prayer and singing. Variety was necessary in order to make the service attractive.

A prayer service of 15 minutes was conducted by Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Lawrence.

Brief remarks were made by Deacon Woodward of Chelmsford upon "What the conference can gather from the harvest fields of Chelmsford," the outcome of which was a bountiful collation, which was served in the vestry by the ladies of the church, covers being laid for 200.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the opening of afternoon session the business committee reported the name of W. H. Wright of High Street church, Lowell, for statistical secretary. William Shaw of Ballardvale was appointed a member of the committee of arrangements for five years.

The next meeting will be with the Lawrence Street church of Lawrence, with Rev. E. Victor Bigelow of Lowell moderator. Jacob Emerson of Methuen alternate. The fellowship committee recommended that services in churches in Andover conference be held in Lenten season, and that pastors exchange services during that season, as may be most helpful to each other. The recommendation was accepted by the conference. The committee on systematic beneficence reported through Rev. E. V. Bigelow that the churches be urged to contribute more to the six societies of the denomination, the American board of foreign missions, the home department, church building, educational department, the American missionary society and the Sunday school, supplemented by the ministerial aid. $1589 has been contributed from the 28 churches in the conference, which embraces Lowell, Lawrence, Andover, North Andover, Methuen, Tyngsboro, Chelmsford and Dracut, and $1670 expended in mission work in the churches of the Andover conference. The deficiency was made up by personal contributions.

Rev. George E. Lovejoy of Lawrence reported for the committee appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of Rev. Edwin Smith, pastor of Ballardvale.

The subject of the afternoon was "The teaching function of the church." Rev. H. G. Monk of Lawrence spoke upon "Why is it so difficult to get Bible teachers?"

"For what results should the teachers aim?" was answered by Rev. Sarah R. Dixon of Tyngsboro, in so eloquent a manner that she was given vigorous applause.

Rev. F. H. Kelly of Dracut had for his subject "What is the responsibility of parents for the Bible school?"

George E. Johnson, superintendent of public schools of the Towksbury district, spoke from his personal experiences on "What can the Bible school learn from the public schools?"

Rev. H. H. French, pastor of the First Congregational church, Malden, gave the last address of the conference on "The preacher as a teacher," at the conclusion of which a discussion took place.

A vote of thanks was given Dr. French for his very able sermon and after the singing of a hymn the conference closed with the benediction by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow.

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The sale will begin promptly at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, regardless of any weather conditions. The property will be on exhibition during the days of Oct. 30 and 31. All inquiries of any kind should be made at the office of the auctioneers, from whom a detailed catalogue of the property may be obtained.

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Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, at 4 o'clock

FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, A 3½ STORY BUILDING AND ABOUT 5315 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 474, 476 AND 478 MERRIMACK STREET, CONTAINING TWO STORES AND STABLE ON GROUND FLOOR, AND ABOUT EIGHTEEN ROOMS.

Longing to rid myself of that care and responsibility which confronts one in handling property, and also being about to leave the city in January, I have pledged this property for absolute auction sale to whomsoever will bid the highest. It is a substantially well constructed building, of two stores, Nos. 474 and 478 Merrimack street, a stable in the rear, with concrete driveway to same, and eighteen very fine rooms which are at present rented to one person. The total rental received at the present time is about $1320 a year, but has rented for much more than this, and should do so today, with the proper attention.

It is seldom the opportunity is offered the investor, to purchase down town property at the public price, but here it is, on the business side of our main street, where thousands upon thousands pass daily, almost opposite the Memorial building, so situated as never to decrease in value, for the population in upper Merrimack street, has increased 20 per cent. in the last ten years, and is still growing. So, if you want to invest where you are sure not to fail, then this is your opportunity

The lot contains about 5315 square feet of land with a frontage on Merrimack street of about 56 feet. There are passageways on both sides of the building, which gives you easy access to the rear.

TERMS: $1000 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of ELIZABETH COSGROVE.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, THREE-STORY BLOCK OF TWO STORES AND FOUR TENEMENTS AT NOS. 218, 218½ AND 220 MIDDLESEX STREET.

Under no condition would I dispose of this parcel of real estate, for to me it is a fine paying property, but for reasons over which I have no control I must leave this part of the country for the west, so I am determined to sell, and feel that the best way to realize the most money is to put it up at public sale.

The property in question is a three-story building and about 2038 square feet of land situated on the southerly side of Middlesex street. There are two good stores and four tenements and pays at the present time about $972 a year, but with some slight alterations which I had under advisement this property should pay $1200 a year, for it is on one of the best business streets in our city, on a direct line to the railroad station, on the southerly side of the street where most of the travel is done, and is a property that is paying a fine percentage from the start on the price you will buy it for. The wise investor now-a-days centers his ideas on business property, for if any property shall increase in value it is that, so here we have it: well situated, good paying, in very fine repair, and sacrificed to you, who will get the full benefit of my unfortunate conditions, for I mean to make positive sale, if the purchaser complies with the terms.

TERMS: $600 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be read at sale.

GAGO K. ECHMALION.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 4 o'clock

TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 1050 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 30 AND 32 SOUTH STREET.

I wish to make a positive sale of this parcel of property, so I will advertise and sell to the person bidding the highest for it. I have not enjoyed the best of health the past few years and have been advised by a physician in order to regain my health, I must leave this climate, so that is my intention, and were it not the conditions, I would not think of selling it for it is paying me a very good revenue.

The house is a 2½ story building of two tenements and a store. The upstairs tenement contains five rooms, bath, hot and cold water and is a very neat tenement. The tenement in the rear has three rooms and the store in front is quite large and is well adapted for mostly any kind of business. It is situated on the easterly side of South street between Appleton and Middlesex streets, the last named street being one of our busiest thoroughfares. It is but a few minutes' walk to the several large industries north of Middlesex street, two minutes' walk to the postoffice and quite handy to all city wants. It will easily average $35 a month, and to one wishing a good sound investment, he should give this sale some consideration, for I must make positive sale on the day advertised.

TERMS: $300 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

SAMSON KAPRIALIAN.

Thursday, Nov. 5, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

NINE HEAD OF FINE JERSEY AND ASYHIRE COWS AT THE WELL-KNOWN PRATT HOMESTEAD, MIDDLESEX VILLAGE.

As it is our wish to close our stables by the first of December, for this reason we have instructed the auctioneer to advertise and sell on the premises, regardless of the weather, this fine lot of cattle. They have all been raised on the farm and are an extra fine lot.

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CONSUMPTION GERM

Affects Seven Persons in One Family

The attention of the health department has been called by a local physician to a case of the contagiousness of consumption which is not equalled by anything in the history of the local department.

About one year ago the health department becoming satisfied that tuberculosis was contagious voted to place it on the contagious list and notified all physicians to report such cases. In cases of death from tuberculosis the health department notified the family of the deceased, offering to fumigate the house and take other precautions such as are taken in cases of a contagious nature.

As a result of these instructions to physicians the case now under discussion has come to light.

The father died of consumption at the age of 42 yers. The mother is in apparently good health. She has had 12 children.

Of the 12 children, three died in infancy, two died of consumption at the ages of 15 years and 17 years.

Three more aged respectively 10 years, 17 years and 20 years, are in advanced stages, while one aged 14 years is complaining of the symptoms peculiar to the disease.

Of the remaining members, one aged 23 years is apparently all right and is working while two, aged respectively six and eight years, are all right.

Thus three are well and four are affected and the three are in danger of contracting the disease at any time.

Agent Knapp has decided to send Dr. Smith to the family to make an examination of each member of the family for the presence of the tuberculosis germ. If the four members are affected as reported, Agent Knapp will take steps to have them removed to Tewksbury or Rutland in order to protect the other three.

Meanwhile the case reopens the old question as to whether or not consumption is hereditary or merely contagious.

CITY QUARANTINED

Small-Pox Epidemic in Alleghany, Pa.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 28—Alleghany will be quarantined today to protect the outside public from small-pox contagion if the state board of health is able to carry out its threat.

For several months Alleghany has been afflicted with many cases of small-pox, but the authorities of the city were confident of being able to control the disease without resorting to heroic measures.

Dr. W. R. Bott, quarantine officer at large of the state board of health in due time investigated the situation and on October 19 notified Supt. McLaughlin of the Alleghany health bureau that the state board had decided to quarantine the city unless within five days the laws regulating the control of contagious diseases were enforced by the Alleghany bureau of health.

The time limit expired on Saturday, but because of the appeals of prominent citizens, it was extended. Alleghany council in special session on Monday failed to take the steps deemed necessary by the state board, hence the radical action taken by that body.

Dr. Bott will arrive here today when it is expected he will put in force the quarantine law in its fullest sense and the people of Alleghany will be prevented from leaving the city. Already orders have been issued to regulate the transmission of mail, money by banks, parcels, packages and baggage by express and otherwise.

FIREMAN DEAD

Exhausted by Labors at Fire

THIRTY FAMILIES WERE RENDERED HOMELESS

Property Lose Will Reach $150,000

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—Hundreds are homeless today, the fireman dead and a score or more persons are suffering from injuries as the result of a fire that wiped out a large section of Kings Bridge.

Twenty buildings, including stores and dwellings, which sheltered about thirty families, were totally destroyed and 150 men, women and children half clad were turned homeless out into the cold morning air.

John J. Sullivan, 56 years old, a fireman of Engine company No. 62 was relieved at six o'clock this morning, after fighting the flames all night. He was exhausted and while waiting for a car to take him home, died.

The damage will probably exceed $150,000, most of the loss falling on the Dickman estate, which owned the greater part of the property destroyed. The buildings destroyed were on both sids of Riverdale avenue in blocks bounded by Church and Ackerman streets.

The fire started in the feed and coal store of T. & W. Thorn, at Riverdale avenue, near Ackerman street. The cause is unknown, but it is thought Roman candle balls shot off while a political parade was passing last night might have set fire to some of the hay stored near the building.

BIG ATTENDANCE

At the Local Evening School Classes

But It Represents Mostly Foreign-Born Illiterates Who are Compelled to Attend — High School Attendance is Gratifying

The attendance at the sessions of the evening schools are in aggregate numbers nearly 500 ahead of last year at the same time.

When asked about the evening school attendances, Supt. Whitcomb said: "The attendances this year are much larger than last year, and I only wish our day schools were growing that way. A large evening school attendance can hardly be said to be gratifying for it represents a correspondingly large amount of undigested illiteracy. In the evening high school at which attendance is voluntary we have reason to feel satisfied for we have the fine attendance of 615 persons who are there purely out of a desire to get an education and improve their condition in life. In our elementary schools, however, the major part of the pupils are foreign illiterates compelled by law to attend school. Our evening school attendance is higher than most cities, and it represents more illiteracy. But it is also a sign of prosperity for the mills are running and foreigners are flocking over here to obtain work in them."

The record for attendances at the evening schools of the city computed Oct. 23 is as follows:

EVENING SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

SCHOOLS.	Teachers	Average Attendance	Average per Teacher
Aiken Ave	7	136	19
Bartlett (Greek dept.)	4	85	21
Bartlett	10	141	14
Butler	8	122	15
Colburn	8	163	20
Chenery St	6	102	17
Edson	7	149	21
Franklin	10	130	13
Green	20	325	16
Old Moody	6	109	18
Hebrew (Railroad St)	1	17	17
Mann	31	520	15
Pawtucket	2	50	25
Varnum	6	142	24
Elementary schools	125	2295	18
High school	19	615	32
Total	144	2920	

ST. LOUIS BANKS

Say That They Can Meet All Obligations

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 28.—Long before 10 o'clock, the hour of opening, the lines of depositors stretched away from the doors of the Mississippi Valley Trust company, the Lincoln Trust company, the Mercantile Trust company and the Missouri Trust company. Small crowds were assembled before the doors of some of the other savings institutions also. It was observed that most of those in line were working people and many of them women whose savings were not heavy. Owing to the action taken last night by the officials of the eight trust companies doing business in St. Louis, requiring 30 and 60 days' notices of intention to withdraw funds, depositors were not able to get any money. All they could do was to declare their intention of withdrawing their deposits at expiration of the time-limit. The trust companies also have decided not to pay certificates of deposits before maturity.

At the various institutions named the officials stated to The Associated Press that current accounts are being received and paid out as usual. The early crowds which thronged the doors and fought for a place in line have become thinned out, many of the savings depositors, taking their blank notices of withdrawal home. Officers of the different institutions made reassuring speeches to the depositors before their doors and this helped to send others away. The arrival of several boxes of gold and silver in express wagons guarded by armed officers, seemed to restore a degree of confidence in the crowd before the Mercantile Trust company building.

President Walsh of the Mississippi Trust company stated to The Associated Press that he believed the excitement was over that unless the depositors formed in line they would be all ejected from the building. This announcement had the desired effect and some semblance of order was restored.

Henry M. Meir, vice-president of the Missouri Trust company, made this statement:

"Our institution has money in abundance to meet demands of whatever nature. The demand this morning was very light compared to that of yesterday. There are now about 125 persons outside the building. Considering that we have 30,000 accounts it will be seen that a very small percentage of the depositors desire to withdraw. All of the banks and trust companies have sufficient funds to tide them over the present situation. The Missouri Trust company is enforcing the 30-day notification clause regarding savings accounts."

John E. Davis, second vice-president of the Mississippi Valley Trust company, addressed the throng from the steps of the bank. He said:

"The anxiety expressed here by so many of you is entirely uncalled for and without reason. Not one person will lose any money through this trust company.

"There is no change in our financial condition whatever. We have always paid whatever should have been paid to everyone and we are going to do so in the future.

"All open accounts will be paid just as soon as they are presented here. There will be no delay at all. Every other account will be paid just as soon as it falls due. If you have an account which is due today it will be paid today in your regular turn.

"I tell you positively that no official of the Mississippi Valley Trust company had been to Chicago for money. We do not need any money to carry on our business. We are in splendid shape financially and everything is prosperous with us."

When as many persons as could be accommodated at one time in the banking rooms had formed in two lines, further admission was refused until some of the first-comers had left by a separate entrance; then others were admitted and forced to keep in line and leave as soon as they had transacted their business.

By 10 o'clock the crowd around the trust company's building had increased to such an extent that the police were totally unable to control it and the officers stationed at the doors were swept from their stations almost as rapidly as they could regain them. Women, who constituted a large percentage of the crowd, were crushed in the jam and in the struggle their dresses were torn and their hats knocked off. The policemen in trying to handle the crowd pushed many of them into the gutter and in several instances personal fights were averted only by the interposition of cooler persons.

When the doors of the Mercantile Trust company were opened Locust street east of the building was packed, while the streets to the west and Eighth street, both to the north and south were comparatively clear. Half an hour later Eighth and Locust streets were crowded for a distance of several hundred feet and all efforts to keep them clear were practically abandoned, while the police directed their efforts chiefly toward maintaining some degree of order at the doors.

THREE BISHOPS

Were Consecrated in the Havana Cathedral

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVANA, Oct. 28.—Rt. Rev. Pedro Gonzales Estrada, Rt. Rev. Bonaventure Broderick, and Rt. Rev. Manual Orue, were consecrated today in the cathedral, respectively bishop of Havana, auxiliary bishop of Havana and bishop of Pinar del Rio, in accordance with the re-organization of the Roman Catholic church in Cuba, due to the separation of Cuba from Spanish sovereignty.

The cathedral was crowded and hundreds of people were unable to obtain admission. The cabinet officers, all the diplomatic corps and the city and provincial officials were present.

The new bishop of Havana, Mgr. Estrada is a Cuban. Rev. Dr. Broderick is an American citizen and was born in Hartford, Conn.

GOVERNOR HUNT

May be Appointed a Judge

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct 28—It is understood to be the intention of President Roosevelt to appoint Gov. William Hunt of Porto Rico, United States judge of Montana to succeed Judge Hiram Knowles, who expects to retire sometime during the approaching winter or early next spring. Gov. Hunt formerly occupied a place on the supreme court bench of Montana.

LABOR PROTESTS

Against Method of Granting Injunctions

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct 28—Before the special commission on the relations between employers and employees at the state house today, the subject discussed was the proposed changes in the matter of granting injunctions.

Col. Daniel Davenport, of New Haven, Conn., favored the acceptance of a Connecticut bill which provides for a fine of not more than $100 or six months' imprisonment for persons who make threats or in any way intimidate other persons to prevent them from working.

Thomas F. Nolan and Alexander Cook of the Boston Typographical union, condemned the present method of granting injunctions, the latter declaring it to be pernicious.

THUMB INJURED

FARMER PEABODY MET WITH AN ACCIDENT.

J. W. Peabody, aged 65 years, a farmer, residing in Dracut, was cutting turnips with a knife this afternoon and the knife slipped, the blade making an incision a couple of inches in length in the left thumb. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where two stitches were taken in the wound.

A STILL ALARM.

A still alarm at 12.10 this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a chimney fire in Front street. The building is the property of the F. W. Hildreth estate.

EDITORS SCARED

Boston Men Take Every Precaution

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—Put in fear by the murder of the Armenian leader, Sagoumi, at London, the editors of the two Armenian papers published in this city, are observing the greatest precautions in their movements today. At the offices of Young Armenia, the organ of the party which has brought charges of misappropriation of funds against another faction of the Armenian revolution society, the doors were locked and no one admitted.

At the offices of The Voice Freedom on Beach street, similar precaution, though less stringent, is being taken. The conduct by the editors has been brought about largely through the influence of their friends who have impressed upon them that they are undoubtedly in danger. They claim it is evident from the four cases of murder or attempted murder, that the Armenian party which has been charged with wrong-doing has planned to do harm to its accusers. The fear felt by the newspaper editors is also shared, it is said, by leading Armenians in Boston. The care with which the Armenians moved about today was also the result of the sentence yesterday of Gulesian, the Armenian, who was convicted of assaulting Peter Kureghian, the editor of Young Armenia.

LOTS OF TREASURE

BROUGHT TO SEATTLE BY NOME STEAMERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 28.—Three Nome steamers, the Senator, Roanoke and Ohio reached Seattle early today bringing a total of 1200 passengers and over half a million dollars in treasure.

The Roanoke left St. Michaels Oct. 18 the bay at that time being filled with floating ice. The Senator and Ohio sailed from Nome Oct. 15.

None of these vessels sighted the disabled Meteor, which has a valuable cargo and is being towed southward by the steamer Eureka.

Considerable anxiety is being felt for the Meteor on account of the recent severe storms in Behring sea, and when the Roanoke left Dutch harbor Oct. 21 the U. S. cutters Bear and Manning were preparing to start out in search of the Meteor and her towing consort.

BUILDING BURNED

BITTER FIGHT AGAINST SO-CALLED "JOINTS."

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 28—A mob composed of members of a supposed law and order league yesterday burned, a house at Dodson, Mo. The place was occupied by F. F. McReynolds and the mob believed that he was in the building. The mob surrounded the place armed with rifles, shotguns and pistols. They poured kerosene liberally on the frame structure and applied a torch to it and it was soon destroyed. The burning of the building follows a bitter fight that has been made on the so-called "joints," or unlicensed saloons of that district. McReynolds was not in the building, having been warned of the approaching danger.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Arguments in the case of McGonigle et al. vs. V. H. J. Belle Isle were ended this morning and the case was given to the jury shortly before the noon adjournment.

The case of Wotton vs. Inhabitants of Chelmsford for land damages is now on trial.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight; fresh westerly winds.

STOCKMEN INDICTED

FOR THE LYNCHING OF GEORGE WALTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BASIN CITY, Wyo., Oct. 28.—The grand jury investigating the lynching of George Walters has returned an indictment against George Saban, a prominent stockman and former partner of Col. J. T. Torrey. It is said that indictments have been found against two other wealthy stockmen.

WHALING BARK

HAS A CARGO VALUED AT $22,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—The whaling bark Charles W. Morgan, Captain East, the first of the blubber hunters, has come into port with a cargo valued at about $22,000. She left here November 22, 1902, has hunted the south seas and the waters along the coast of Japan and came here from the Okhotsk Sea. In her hold are about 1,500 barrels of sperm oil. She reports that in company with the whalers California and Alice Knowles, she passed through the hurricane which in January last swept the Paumato islands with fatal results, when all the vessels suffered more or less damage.

ABBOTT IN TOWN

MANAGER GRAY'S NEW MAN HAS ARRIVED

Abbott, one of Manager Gray's new men signed for the Lowell basketball team, arrived in Lowell today and will take up his residence here. Mr. Abbott is a graduate of Dartmouth college, being a member of the class of '02, and several Lowell men were members of his class. He is well known here and his reputation as a basketball player was established at Dartmouth college. He is a gentlemanly appearing young man and is just the style of player that will help the game up to its proper standard.

Joe Kynoch is expected in this city this evening to make arrangements with Manager Gray.

McKinnon, another of the new men, has been ordered to report in time to be ready for the game on Nov. 9.

CHIEF HOSMER'S SOUVENIR.

Chief Hosmer of the local fire department has received a beautifully bound book containing 21 minor books of rules recommended by the National Fire Protection association and issued by the national board of fire underwriters. The different books treat on the care of explosives, use of chemicals, sprinklers, fire doors, gasolene naphtha, etc., and is a very interesting and valuable book.

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THE PARKS CASE

Witness Tells of Demand for $500

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—Samuel J. Parks, the labor union walking delegate who is charged with extortion, was more sprightly than at any time during the week when he entered court today.

As soon as Judge Newburger arrived in court Assistant District Attorney Rand called Benjamin Thackara to the stand. Thackara testified that he was outside superintendent for the Tiffany studios and that on December 31 he was sent to Parks to find out why several house smiths of Parks' union, who had been working on buildings for the Tiffany company, had gone on strike. Parks said, according to Thackara:

"Tiffany is fined $500 and if you're not prepared to settle send Tiffany to see me."

Thackara said he asked Parks to go and see Tiffany, but the accused replied:

"You go back and tell Tiffany to go to ——— and Jerome and the whole crew."

Thackara went to Parks' residence that same evening and again asked Parks why the "fine" of $500 was imposed.

Parks replied: "Why are you here if you are not prepared to settle. There is no use in me talking to you; go and get some one who can."

David Frazee, general superintendent, employed by the Tiffany Studios, testified that he accompanied Louis Schmitt, treasurer of the Tiffany corporation, on a visit to Parks in his own home. Schmitt asked Parks, the witness said, why the "fine" of $500 was imposed and Parks replied:

"Now you're fined $500 and you are getting off light; it ought to be $1,000. I am not in this business for my health and you're getting off easy. Other firms have done business with me and if you don't wish to pay you can fight it like some other firms, who changed their minds pretty ——— quick."

Schmitt, according to the witness, then said:

"We have to pay this money in order to do business."

"That's about it," said Parks, "but it is for 'initiation,' that sounds better."

"Does this money go to the labor union?" asked Schmitt.

"It goes to Sam Parks," was the reply made by the accused, according to the witness. "I have lost my health working for a lot of ungrateful ——— who would throw me down in a minute if everything didn't go right. I am going away soon for my health and after a few months you will not hear of Sam Parks in labor troubles. I've got enough to keep me comfortable during the rest of my life."

Schmitt asked Parks if he would accept a check for the amount, and Parks said:

"Do you take me for a ——— fool? I don't take checks and I don't generally talk on these matters when there are two persons present."

DEER HUNTING

LOCAL SPORTSMEN IN WILDS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The employes of Simpson & Rowland's on Middle street have been in training for several days in anticipation of a big game dinner to be furnished by Gus Sturtevant and George Howes who went away to New Hampshire to hunt and who promised to send back some game. A letter received here from the farmer with whom they are stopping states that the first day there the pair went out into the woods for deer and coming across a one-eyed cow shot it under the impression that it was a deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quigley of Rogers street are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

DISASTROUS FIRE

Several Big Blocks in Aberdeen Destroyed

By Associated Press to The Sun

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 28.—A fire which promised to equal in magnitude that which recently destroyed the major portion of the business part of Aberdeen, occurred early today. The blaze was discovered in the center of the Commercial block. With indescribable rapidity it spread to the Glasgow block, the postoffice, the Becker block and the Y. M. C. A. building. The fire department was at first utterly unable to stay the progress of the flames which the wind drove toward the unburned portion of the town. The Commercial block contained 10 stores besides several which opened temporary quarters after the fire. The Glasgow block contained eight stores.

The fire is now thought to be under control. There were no fatalities. It is impossible yet to give any estimate of property loss.

LADUC IS DEAD

HE DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL BY MISTAKE.

Hermenigild Laduc, who accidentally drank wood alcohol at his home at 642 Lakeview avenue last night and who was taken to the Lowell hospital in the ambulance this morning, died at that institution shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon.

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Do you suffer with neuralgia of the head? Ninety per cent. of this trouble is caused by a tooth. Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, makes a specialty of this trouble. Consult him.

Economy Demands a Change

In the Middlesex County Commission

The Democrats have nominated for Commissioner, George R. Duren of Carlisle, who has been an efficient member of the Board of Selectmen of his town, and is at present one of the Board of Assessors. During President Cleveland's first administration he was assistant postmaster of Carlisle.

Mr. Duren is a member of many fraternal organizations, among which are: Oberlin Lodge, I. O. O. F.; Wannalancit Encampment, Passaconaway Tribe of Red Men; Lodge, B. P. O. Elks; Chevalier Lodge, Knights of Pythias of Lowell; Windsor Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, Boston.

For twelve years he was a member of Troop F Cavalry, M. V. M.

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THE SUN LATEST
5 O'CLOCK

COMINGTOLOWELL

Mosely Commission Will Inspect Textile School

The Mosely Educational commission of Great Britain who are inspecting educational institutions in leading cities of this country, to determine their bearing upon national commerce and industry, has arrived in Boston from New Haven.

The members, drawn from prominent industrial and educational centers in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, are headed by Alfred Mosely, a prominent English manufacturer, through whose efforts the commission was appointed. He is the host. Other members are:

Arthur Anderton, alderman and chairman of the technical instruction committee of the West Riding County Council; Prof. W. E. Ayrton, late professor of natural philosophy in the Imperial College of Engineering, Japan, and now occupying the chair of physics in the Central Technical College; Prof. H. E. Armstrong, heading the department of chemistry at the City and Guilds of London Institute; Thomas Barclay, vice-president of the International Law Association, and a former Paris correspondent of the London Times, 1876-1852; Mayor Black of Nottingham; R. Blair, assistant secretary for technical instruction in the department of Ireland; Dr. J. R. Bradford, professor of materia medica and therapeutics, University College; President Coward of the National Teachers' union; J. G. Cockburn, late chairman of the Leeds school board.

Also Rev. Prof. Finlay of University College, Dublin; Sec. Foster of University College, London; Head Master Fletcher of the Liverpool Institute; W. H. Gaskell, university lecturer in physiology, Cambridge; Warden Gray of Bradford College; W. P. Groser of the parliamentary industry committee; C. J. Hamilton, secretary to the commission, and lecturer at University College, Cardiff; Chairman Reape of the Rochdale Technical School; Rev. A. W. Johnson of the London school board; Wm. Jones, M. P., for Carnarvonshire; Prof. Maclean of the Glasgow Technical College; Deputy-Chairman Rathbone of the committee on elementary education, Liverpool; Principal Reichel of University College, North Wales; John Rhys, professor of Celtic at Oxford; W. Ripper professor of engineering, Sheffield College; Chairman Charles Rowley of the Manchester School of Art; A. J. Shepheard of the London county council; Director Arthur Spencer of the Plymouth Girls' High School, and John Whitburn of the education commission, Newcastle city council.

The personnel makes plain the fact that this is the most important commission of the kind that has ever visited this country. The visitors will remain in Boston until Saturday evening, when they will start for the west. While here they will, of course, visit Harvard, Technology, Boston university and Radcliffe, and a considerable number of typical Boston public schools, the Mechanics Art High, Boston Latin, Roxbury High for boys and girls and others. Textile industries of Lowell and other cities nearby will also receive attention.

The commission will not move as a body, but will split into small groups of two or three; in some cases one will investigate alone. By this policy much can be done in a brief period.

The commission will be too busy to accept much social attention, but a few affairs have been arranged for them.

The commission will visit this city tomorrow and will inspect the Textile school. They will be shown through some of the local mills.

POLICE BOARD

MANY MINOR LICENSES WERE GRANTED.

The police board met in usual weekly session at police headquarters last evening and disposed of a grist of routine business. The following licenses were granted:

Common victualler—Mary Marion, 119 Cheever street; Philomene Pless, 21 Pearl street; Bessie A. Canning, 430 School street; F. E. Harris, corner Gorham and Middlesex streets; Hermoine Desjardines, 250 Aiken street.

Innholder—George H. Barrett, 136 Central street, New American house.

Express wagon—William J. Carroll, 51 Pond street.

Junk collector—Morris Schwartz, 115 Howard street.

Hawker and peddler—Clarence Sprague, Chelmsford, Harvey L. Downs, 12 Seventh street; J. R. Blake, Hudson, N. H.

Hackney coach—Chapuos Heroux, 19 Austin street. His bond was accepted and placed on file.

The following common victuallers' licenses were revoked: Hermine Declardines, 234 Aiken street; Philomene Pless, 28 Pearl street; Lenore Marion, 119 Cheever street.

Leave to withdraw was granted to Thomas Harrington on his application for a pool table license at 102 Lakeview avenue.

The common victualler's license of Ali n Frost, 220 Middlesex street, was revoked.

LAWSON'S OFFER

HE WILL PAY THE MINERS' UNION $250,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—Mr. Thomas W. Lawson, one of the largest stockholders an offer to pay the miners' union a company, wired to Butte, Mont., yesterday an offer to pay th miners' union a commission of $250,000 for at once satisfactorily arranging an arbitration of the question of the price to be paid Mr. Heinze, for the mining property in that city.

MADE HER BLUSH

WOMAN SAYS GOWN WAS CUT TOO LOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—"The gown was so low cut that it made me blush," is the beginning of a lawsuit brought by Miss Edna Bronson of St. Louis against her dressmaker. Miss Bronson is prima donna in the "Fisher Maiden" at Hammerstein's Victoria theatre. Mme. Norma Birane of Madison avenue, near 49th street, is the dressmaker.

The gown cost $500, Miss Bronson says. It was to be worn in the second act of the operetta.

"I told her just how high in the neck the dress must come," said Miss Bronson yesterday. "There is a little charm that I always wear at my throat. It was given me in St. Louis. It has brought me good luck. I told Mme. Birane that a gown cut any lower than the charm hangs would offend my idea of modesty.

"The gown came home. There wasn't so much as a shoulder strap. I couldn't have worn it on the stage without making myself amenable to the laws of the state, my lawyer, Herman L. Roth, tells me. I had to have the bodice built up."

Mme. Birane professed to be both amazed and amused by the suit to recover the price paid for the gown.

"It was cut in the prevailing fashion in accord with what our best New York women wear, no matter what id as may prevail in St. Louis," said the dressmaker. "Miss Bronson will have to wear it in court. As they say in Missouri, 'she will have to show me.'"

BOWLING NEWS.

Teams representing the Big Seven club and the Merrimack Fustian department bowled at Les Miserables alleys in East Merrimack street last night and the Big Seven won by 37 pins. Marsden of the vanquished team was high man with a three-string total of 258, while Henry of the winning team made a single string total of 98 in the last string. The Big Seven won the first and last strings, while the members of the Fustian department got the second string by five pins. The score:

BIG SEVEN.

	1	2	3	Totals
McGrall	82	76	79	237
Simpson	78	67	64	22[illegible]
McLaughlin	73	65	82	220
Henry	71	82	98	251
Ripley	76	83	87	2 6
Total	380	371	470	1151

FUSTIAN DEPARTMENT.

	1	2	3	Totals
Stimpson	91	71	85	247
Marsden	90	78	91	258
Varney	68	75	78	221
Clayton	76	82	87	230
Jones	52	70	66	188
Total	377	379	401	1147

COUNTRY CLUB GOLF.

Following are the scores in the sixth competition for the Vesper Country club golf cup:

A. D. Butterfield	43	46	89	6	83
W. E. Stratton	48	45	93	6	87
J. Thorpe	46	42	88	0	88
W. E. Bessill	51	54	105	14	91
C. F. Weston	48	49	97	5	92
T. Nesmith, Jr.	50	51	101	12	92
H. E. Shaw	55	55	110	17	93

Drawings for final in club cup for Saturday, Oct. 31—A. D. Butterfield vs. F. H. Graves, O. Hockmeyer vs. T. Stevens, C. F. Young vs. A. H. Morton.

Encouraging news of Mr. Walter B. Cowe, formerly of Lowell, but now of Rhoades, Arizona, has lately been received in the city. Mr. Cowe is engaged in the cattle raising business.

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YOUNG CORBETT WON

Hughey Murphy Put Out in the Eleventh Round

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—It took ten rounds and about a minute and a half of the eleventh round for Young Corbett of Denver, Col., the featherweight champion, to get the decision over Hughey Murphy of New York before 1500 people at the Criterion club last night.

Corbett forced the boxing from start to finish. Murphy put up a clever defence and landed many clever blows, but none of them were effective. At the same time he evaded many of Corbett's most dangerous blows.

Through the first five or six rounds there was practically no difference in the skill displayed by the competitors. In the tenth round Murphy had the better of it. He showed good judgment in evading Corbett's punches, and he also avoided in-fighting which is Corbett's favorite method.

In the eleventh round Corbett started in to get the decision and at the end of a minute landed a solar plexus blow on Murphy, following it up with a left on the chin, sending the New Yorker to the floor for the count. Murphy arose groggy and Corbett landed another left on the chin. Murphy fell across the ropes and lay there. He got up before being counted out, but Corbett noticing his condition, refused to continue the fighting, and the decision was given to the champion.

Murphy then fell his length on the floor, and Corbett picked him up and carried him to his corner.

NAMES ACCEPTED

The Aldermen Confirm Precinct Officers

The board of aldermen held a brief meeting last evening, at which they confirmed the five precinct officers named by the mayor and held up at a previous meeting.

Alderman Miskella presided and eight members were present.

After routine business had been transacted Alderman Derby introduced an order providing that all petitions for street and sidewalk repairs be referred to next year's city government.

Mr. Derby stated that there is now enough work laid out to keep the department busy for the remainder of the year and use up all its appropriation.

Alderman Gallagher opposed the order and it was defeated.

A joint order transferring $400 from labor to sundries in the commons department was adopted the appropriations committee having recommended the transfer.

After a brief recess the names of the precinct officers came up and the mayor's appointments were confirmed without discussion.

Adjourned.

ESCAPED DEATH

DUNCAN McLOUGHLIN HAD A CLOSE CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NATICK, Oct. 28—Duncan McLoughlin of South Framingham, aged about 21, had a narrow escape from death while working on a pole near the electric light station yesterday noon. He suffered a shock, receiving 5500 volts, and fell from the cross arm to the ground, a distance of about 45 feet.

McLoughlin was unconscious. He soon revived and was taken to the Framingham hospital as his preference. He had no broken bones and his injuries consisted of severe burns on the hand and fingers and on the back. It is expected that he will be able to leave the hospital in a week or 10 days.

BOY ASTRONOMER

SAW GROUP OF SPOTS ON THE SUN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DENVER, Col., Oct. 28—Herbert S. Howe, the 15-year-old son of Prof. Herbert A. Howe, instructor in astronomy at Denver University, is said to have discovered at the upper edge of the sun's disc a new group of sun spots as great in magnitude and importance, it is said, as the group discovered by the scientists of the Washington observatory two weeks ago. The boy made his observations with a six-inch telescope in the observatory at University Park in this city.

Mrs. Ernest Lanoue, Master Leo, and Miss Cecile Lanoue spent Sunday and Monday with relatives at Revere beach.

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NARROW ESCAPE

Prince Galitzin Nearly Assassinated

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFLIS, Russian Trans-Caucasia, Oct. 28—Prince Galitzin, governor-general of the Caucasus had a narrow escape from assassination yesterday on the outskirts of the town. Three natives stabbed the governor-general thrice. They fled but were subsequently shot down by Cossacks.

Prince Galitzin was driving with his wife when the would-be assassins rushed upon the carriage, daggers in hand. Two seized the governor-general and attempted to drag him from the vehicle while the third inflicted two ugly wounds on the prince's head and a third cut on the hand.

A Cossack who was in attendance upon his excellency threw himself upon the assailants. While a hand-to-hand fight was in progress the carriage was driven off at a gallop. Ultimately the assailants fled, followed by a mounted guard of Cossacks who had hurried to the scene.

The Cossacks chased the fugitives through the brush, firing constantly with their rifles. They killed one man instantly. The other two were shot down and died soon afterward.

After his injuries had been dressed Prince Galitzin attended a reception given by the citizens of Tiflis.

The outrage had produced great indignation, the governor general having become popular because of his interest in the welfare of the inhabitants. Owing to the excitement performances at the theatres were suspended. There is little doubt that the thickness of the cap worn by the prince saved his life.

Dispatches from Trans-Caucasia within the past month show unrest at Tiflis, owing to the transfer of the Armenian church part of the Russian government under the decree of June 25. Disquiet has been reported at various points in which quite a number of lives were lost and the Armenian church authorities are said to have threatened to transfer the headquarters of the Armenian Catholic church to another country.

Prince Galitzin, who was sent to his present post a year ago last April, was charged with having recommended the transfer of the church party and several times his life has been threatened.

ALL AMERICANS

HOW POPE CLASSES CANADIANS AND SOUTH AMERICANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ROME, Oct. 28—The apparent misapprehension under which an American prelate was laboring when he made the statement that several American clergymen would be nominated as cardinals is explained here by the statement that it is the custom in Rome to use the name "American" as applying to Canadians, citizens of the United States and South America equally.

If the pope therefore mentioned his intention to create several American cardinals he did not mean that they should be Americans in the strict sense of the word.

South American countries, particularly Brazil, have repeatedly asked for cardinals.

It is probable that the archbishop of Rio Janeiro will be the first South American to be raised to the purple.

If this is done it will then be difficult to refuse the same favor to Mexico, which has a Catholic population almost equal to Brazil, and even more difficult not to extend the privilege to the archbishops of Buenos Ayres, Argentina and Santiago, Chili, where Archbishops Espinosa and Casanova respectively have been rivals for the red hat for years past.

It has been suggested, in order to make room for new cardinals, to reduce the cardinals in those countries which do not seem to be sufficiently appreciative of the privilege, as for instance France, which normally has seven cardinals.

The suggestion also has been made to continue the system inaugurated by Leo XIII to bring about a better balance between the numbers of foreign and Italian cardinals.

OFFICER DOWNEY

CONTRADICTS A STATEMENT MADE BY SUPT. WHITCOMB.

Editor Sun:

Dear Sir:—I wish to correct the statement made by Mr. Whitcomb, superintendent of schools, that my daughter, Caroline A. Downey, was dropped by the training school committee.

This is not so. She was dismissed from the training school by the principal, Gertrude Edmund.

Trusting you will oblige me with space, I am, dear sir,

Respectfully yours,

HUGH DOWNEY.

Oct. 28, 1903.

GENERAL STRIKE

May be Ordered by the Bridge Workers

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—President Buchanan of the International Association of Bridge & Structural Iron Workers, who has been here several days endeavoring to patch up the existing difficulties between the iron league and the housesmiths' union, has received a letter from the secretary of the league refusing to meet the executive committee of the International organization.

The strike committee of the iron league says there is nothing to settle. It is through with all negotiations with the housesmiths' union and the members of the league are employing only members of the union formed by the building trades employers' association. Until the union expresses its willingness to sign the plan of arbitration the iron league will have nothing to do with it.

As the union is on record and unequivocally opposed to the signing of the plan, it is expected a strike will be ordered on all the contracts held by members of the iron league out of town in retaliation.

Men, it is expected, will be called out in Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New Orleans and Newark. The order would affect plants with lands and machinery. We have a population of 411,588 people of whom 52.9 per cent. are engaged in gainful occupations. Of this 52.9 per cent., only 4.3 per cent. are in the professions while 95.7 per cent or a total of 208,367 people, are engaged in agriculture, manufacturing, mechanical pursuits, trades, transportation, domestic and private service. Again, it is probably safe to estimate that at least 3000 young people enter upon active independent life in our state each year. Assuming this estimate to be correct and that 4.3 per cent. of them enter the professions, there are still remaining 2871 who engage in industrial pursuits. Would not these thousands of serious minded young men and women, annually starting out to make an independent living be more successful as bread-winners; would they not get more true enjoyment out of life, exert a wider influence on this community and take a more intelligent interest in the affairs of state if more of them had thorough training in the business upon which they enter?

I believe it to be the most important duty of this college to provide adequate training for these young men and women. Of course the college also has the further duty of extending its privileges to citizens of the state who are unable to attend its courses of study.

What we desire is that adjustment of studies and hours in the course which will give "depth without narrowness and breadth without superficiality." I believe that we should give much prominence to the long courses for the reason that four years is short time enough in which to give the necessary instruction in a sufficient number of cultural, scientific and vocational studies, 500 iron workers and probably 5000 men in the building trades in these cities who are dependent upon the work of the iron workers will be forced into idleness.

A meeting of the executive of the Merrimack Valley Cricket league has been convened by the president, Charles White, to be held on Saturday evening at the club house of the Lawrence Athletic C. C.

Eyes and Nose Ran Water.—C. G. Archer of Brewer, Me., says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. I would not be without it. It relieves in 10 minutes. Sold by Falls & Burkinshaw.—22.

FEARFUL

Mrs. Farrar Relates Her Terrible Experiance

WANTED TO DIE

Pain Threatened to Crush Out Her Life

"Can this be true?" inquired an attache of The Lowell Sun after listening to the story of Annie E. Farrar, Monday afternoon—a story which told of horrible nightmares, fearful dreams and terrible pain covering a period of nearly two months.

"Every word is gospel truth," she replied, "and I only wish I knew how to express myself better to describe my terrible experience, and the joy I now feel, for I know I owe my very life this moment to Dr. Bartlett's Vital Force. Mrs. Farrar's story follows, and our readers may judge for themselves:

"In July last, I was taken ill. Terrible pains like rheumatism pains were experienced in my feet and lower limbs. The pains were so severe at times that I would cry out when I had strength to do so. I could not draw two breaths in peace and comfort so intense was the agony of body and mind. Four different physicians were called. They did their best, but were unable to stop the pains which threatened to crush out all the life I had left in me.

"My nerves were completely unstrung; and my head pained me so with neuralgia that I thught it would burst open. Oh, how discouraged I was. When I did get a little sleep it was only to awake from a horrible nightmare or some fearful dream on account of my nervous state and the terrible pains. I had tried every known remedy which appealed to my case, but not one of them helped me. I read about several of the marvelous cures performed by Vital Force, and I determined to give this medicine, like others, a trial.

"When I went out to purchase the bottle I was so dizzy that I thought I would fall in the street so fearful was I with worrying and despondency. The first dose of the medicine seemed to give me courage. I grew better from that very moment. I used up the bottle and got another.

"Oh, what peace of mind and quiet nerves came to me as day after day came and went. My sleep was refreshing and my mind became clear and strong. The pains left me completely and my strength gradually came back to me. I knew before I began to take this great remedy that if I went to the hospital I would never leave it alive. Thanks to Dr. Bartlett's Vital Force—the remedy which restored my life and changed it from one of darkness and despair to one of health and happiness. I wanted to die, but now I want to live."

(Signed). "ANNIE E. FARRAR,

"143 Appleton St.

"Lowell, Mass., Oct. 26, 1903."

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IMPERIAL BAZAAR

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A novelty in the line of a church bazaar is the grand Imperial Bazaar opened last evening in the Primitive Methodist church in Gorham street and continuing tonight and tomorrow and Friday evenings.

The features are entirely different and more enjoyable than those of the old time bazaar and the large gathering present last evening appreciated the new idea.

The bazaar was held in the vestry of the church and the doors were thrown open at 5.30, though the bazaar was formally opened by Agent Connell of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, who presided over the evening's festivities.

Tonight Alderman Derby will preside. Senator McKinley will officiate on Thursday evening and on Friday ex-Alderman Westall will do the honors.

REV. MR. MATHEWS, Pastor.

As each person entered the bazaar he was presented with a souvenir program, which told where the booths were located and what might be purchased on them, outlining also the entertainment program for the four nights.

A most agreeable departure from the old style bazaar was the absence of all voting, guessing or kindred contests and the almost inevitable girl with the "chance" hook was conspicuous by her absence.

A dozen prettily decorated tables were in position about the vestry, while special departments opened off the vestry. There was a fishing pond, ventriloquial entertainment and museum of curios.

One of the features was the grocery store, with Thomas Gardiner as the head grocer. His assistants were Joseph Sutcliffe, Sam Ashquith and J. W. Foster. All the commodities found in a well regulated grocery store were to be had at market prices. This was under the Men's League department, which also had side lights of furniture and hardware.

In the Ladies' Aid department the feature was a dry good store, with all the little articles dear to the feminine fancy.

The young people's department had a special feature in China and fancy goods.

The beverage table in green and pink was in charge of the lower class of Willing Workers, with Miss Maude Mountford and Miss Nellie Sladen as the matrons. As assistants there were 25 members of the class.

The fancy table abounded in all of the pretty things in the embroidery lines. The classes of Miss Jennie Cutcridge and Joseph Fielding managed this department with forty assistants.

The infant department table was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, assisted by Miss M. E. Ogley, Miss Mabel Hurd, and Miss Ada Ogley. It was trimmed in blue and white. All sorts of toys and children's things were on sale.

The Mystery table was in charge of William J. McCready and William and Albert Fielding. The table was handsomely decorated with the National colors.

The Ladies' Aid Domestic booth had the fancy goods feature. Aprons, sofa pillows, lace work, pin cushions, and "what not" were bunched on this table. Mrs. Clara Midgely, Mrs. J. Wilmot and Mrs. J. Bramhall did the selling here. The prevailing colors were lavender and white.

The flower table was busy throughout the evening and those in charge were Emma Manning, Miriam Hoyle, Joseph Potter and Thomas Woodcock.

The Wesley League C. E. table was divided into two sections, one for china and the other for fancy work. The table was trimmed in white and pink. The fancy section was managed by the following named: Mrs. William Thornton, matron; Miss Orpah Sutcliffe, Miss Alice Scoble, Miss Mary Rhodes, Miss Luella Laycock, Miss May Heap, Miss Ida Parkinson, Miss Emma Manning, Miss Zilpah Sutcliffe, Miss Ethel Greenwood, Miss Nellie Feindel, Miss Ida Wilkinson, Miss Isabel Caddell, Mrs. Geo. Grindrod, Harry Maden and Geo. Grindrod. The fancy china dept. was ably conducted by the following: Mrs. Chas. Hayes, matron; Miss Dora Heading, Miss Jennie Potter, Miss Alice Watson, Miss Jennie Spillane, Miss Lillian Richardson, Miss May Esther Dudley, Miss Sarah Howarth, N. W. Matthews, Jr., Frank Maden and Harry Anderton.

The candy table was managed by girls from the classes of Mrs. McCready and Miss E. H. Ogley. The names of the ladies who sold the sweets were: Emma Meade, Charlotte Holgate, Elizabeth Lees, Bertha Trickey, Edith Davis, Ida Boughton, Gertrude Humphriss, Nellie Rawnsley, Maud Hindle, Mabel Chapman and the Misses Edmunds.

The curio hall was of real interest to all for the curios were all genuine. George Bouring and Ellmaker Stark made the collection and showed their ability to select oddities. Among the curios were: Boxer swords, flags and garments; a collection of Filipino knives and swords, made by Sergt. Scott; a collection of warlike implements taken in Cuba and Porto Rico by Private Davison, Co. C, Sixth Regt.; petrified snakes from Sweden and Norway; a walking stick gun from the Philippines; a collection of ores and minerals, made by Gus Ahlberg, and a varied collection of stuffed birds, given for exhibition by Carl G. Pihl.

The entertainment was begun at 8 o'clock and consisted of a varied program by Albert Leith and friends assisted by Mr. Leonard Galloway, ventriloquist, and Mrs. John Galloway, who operated a phonograph.

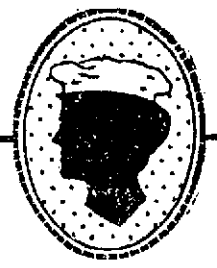
The farmers' supper drew a big crowd. It was served by Mrs. A. Hindle, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Mrs. Thomas Steel, Mrs. S. Medley, Mrs. G. H. Manning, Mrs. John Orrell, Mrs. J. A. Feindel, Mrs. S. Ogley, Mrs. J. S. Sykes, Mrs. J. Ashworth and Mrs. Edward Cornock.

The entertainment tonight will be given by Osmond Long and party.

The executive committee in charge of the bazaar consists of: N. W. Matthews, pastor; William Thornton, chairman; Thomas Gardiner, vice-

WILLIAM THORNTON, Chairman of Committee.

chairman; Eli Turner, secretary, Ambrose Hindle, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Woodcock, Mrs. N. W. Matthews, Mrs. Albert Stopherd, Miss Dora Heading, Miss Elizabeth Ogley, Miss Maud M. Mountford, Messrs. Albert Stopherd, John W. Foster, George Bowring, Harry Maden, Walter Killerby.



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RUNAWAY GIRLS

Forgiven and Taken Back to Their Homes

After weeks of wandering, and living in a questionable way, May Foley, 17, and Lillian Eno, 18, were confronted in the inspector's office at police station, this morning, the Foley girl by her uncle and the Eno girl by her father. The scene was a very pathetic one and the emotion of the officers who witnessed it was ill concealed.

Both girls belong in East Cambridge and they were arrested by Inspectors Donaldson and Maher in Mrs. Foster's restaurant, 220 Middlesex street, last evening. The condition of affairs at the restaurant was such that it was reported to the board of police and Mrs. Foster's common victualler's license was revoked at the meeting of the board last night.

The officers said there wasn't food enough in the house to satisfy the hunger of one man and another feature of the house that the officers didn't like was a door opening into a Chinese laundry.

The girls were in the company of two young men when arrested. They claimed that they had roomed in Gorham street, but that their funds had given out. They had been in Lowell three weeks, they said, and admitted that their mode of living during those three weeks was not what would suit the lover of good morals. They claimed that they had been in the habit of taking their meals at Mrs. Foster's restaurant and that they owed her some money. They further stated that Mrs. Foster told them they could work for her and liquidate their obligations in that way. The officers, however, couldn't quite understand why Mrs. Foster would require the assistance of two girls when the restaurant was minus a square meal. The girls told the officers that Mrs. Foster had gone out during the forenoon and that she had locked them in the restaurant.

The girls at first claimed that they belonged in Dover, N. H., but later admitted that they lived in Cambridge. It was plain to be seen that their straying paths had not been strewn with roses, in fact they seemed half glad to go with the police. After finding out that they belonged in East Cambridge the police of this city notified the Cambridge police and they notified the Foley girl's uncle and the Eno girl's father. May Foley is an orphan and has lived with her uncle for the last three years.

The girls were taken from their cells to the inspector's office this morning. They did not know that an uncle and father were waiting outside. In reply to questions by the police the Foley girl said she left home because the people with whom she lived were drunk all the time.

"Are you telling the truth?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Yes, that's the truth," replied the girl, and just then the door opened and her uncle appeared on the scene. In his presence she told the deputy she had lied to him. She said her uncle was good to her and that there was no reason why she should have left him.

While May Foley was wiping away her uncle's tears Lillian Eno's father entered the office and before he had time to speak his daughter's arms were about his neck and the reprimand he had stored away melted into words of love and forgiveness. With her arms still about her father's neck the Eno girl fainted and fell to the floor.

The matron was called and applied restoratives. In the guard room while the girls were preparing to leave for home, the deputy, just to impress upon them that they had a narrow escape, told Mr. Foley and Mr. Eno that perhaps after all it would be better to go up stairs, swear out complaints against the girls and have them sent to the prison for women at Sherborn.

The deputy's suggestion so startled the girls that they fell on their knees and implored the men who came for them not to send them away. They promised they would never repeat the offence, and while neither of the men had any intention of prosecuting the girls, they pretended to weigh well the deputy's suggestion, and not until they had extracted certain promises from the runaways did they decide to take them home. One of the most important of the promises was that the girls should not meet each other again after their arrival at East Cambridge.

GETS $1,000,000

Settlement Made by Miss Goelet

IN RETURN FOR THE TITLE GIVEN HER

Sum Represents Her Entire Fortune

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—There have been so many statements made wide of the mark relative to the Goelet-Roxburghe marriage settlements, some of the facts will be welcome. The settlement made by Miss Goelet upon her fiance has been variously stated at from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000. The real sum is $1,000,000, because at this time that represents into the private fortune of the young woman.

By the provision of the will of the late Ogden Goelet, whose estate at his death was estimated at $10,000,000 one-tenth of his fortune only was settled upon his daughter. But later on she will come into possession of another million on the Goelet side of the house, with, of course, a million or so to be counted on from the maternal grandparents, the R. T. Wilsons, whose millions have been steadily increasing for years.

By the Ogden Goelet will the widow Mrs. Ogden Goelet, possesses for life the Newport and New York residences, with an income of $25,000 a year. The bulk of the estate goes to Robert Goelet, who upon final accession to the entire property will come into a full $10,000,000. At present his fortune is $100,000 per annum.

Should, therefore, Miss Elsie Whelan finally smile upon Bobbie Goelet after his present year of probation, she will come in for one of the largest incomes possessed by any of the young New York matrons.

The next few days will be immensely interesting ones, by the way, to Miss May Goelet, as during that time will be unpacked for her inspection the contents of the 18 or 20 trunks which, filled with the trousseau, arrived by a steamer yesterday, and, having been O. K'd by the customs men, were forthwith delivered at the Goelet mansion on Fifth avenue.

Such a time as there will be trying on the half hundred gowns, the delicious coveted peeps at entrancing confections to the few favored friends, the chatter of the young people and the silent, busy army of importers' assistants making the necessary alterations—and last, but by no means least, the cast-iron and oft repeated orders to the new corps of servants not to breathe a word of any of it to any of "those horrid newspaper people."

ONE MAN KILLED

ELEVATOR DROPPED FROM EIGHTH STORY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—One man was killed, almost instantly, and another sustained injuries which probably will result in his being maimed for life, by the falling of a freight elevator from the eighth story of the building being erected at 66 State street, yesterday afternoon.

William Nixon, 50 years, married, of 62 Brookline street, Cambridge, employed as a carpenter on the new building, died on his way to the hospital.

Guiseppe Minichiello, 22, of 261 North street, employed as a laborer, suffered a fracture of both bones of his left leg and contusions of the back.

Horse Blankets for stable or street use, at The Thompson Hardware Co.

BRYAN'S TRIP

POSTPONED UNTIL BENNETT WILL CASE IS DECIDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 28—William J. Bryan yesterday said that he had postponed his trip to Europe, he having expected to have sailed from New York today, and would not make any definite plans until after Judge Cleaveland had rendered his decision in the Bennett will case.

Mr. Bryan further said that the court had stated that possibly a week would elapse before the decision would be made public.

Mr. Bryan said he was uncertain whether to stay in New Haven or New York during the interval.

McCLELLAN LEADS

NEWSPAPER POLL MADE IN GREATER NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—The World today says:

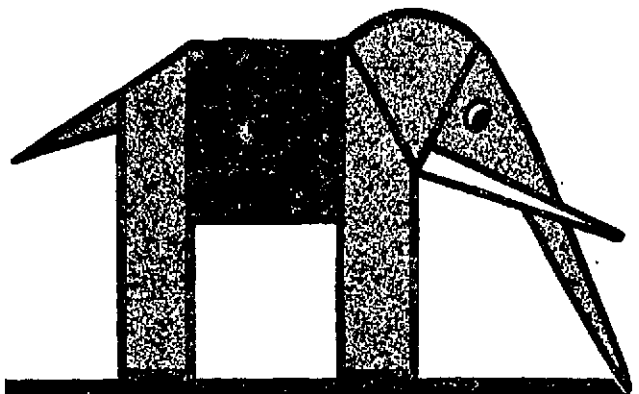
McClellan leads Low by 3854 out of the 100,007 votes polled by the World's force of non-partisan canvassers up to date. Tuesday's canvass added 16,598 votes to the grand total, which amounts to about one-sixth of the whole vote to be cast in the five boroughs.

Grout leads Hinrichs by 4546 votes in a total of 98,024 votes for comptroller. It is therefore clear that little scratching is to be expected. The figures indicate that the fusion and Tammany tickets are likely to be voted straight.

The race is so close that the problem is becoming excited. On the whole vote canvassed to date McClellan leads Low in Manhattan by 4595, and Low leads McClellan in Brooklyn by 741.

JOHN ELIOT SOCIETY.

The John Eliot Literary society met last evening at the residence of Mr. and Charles S. Proctor in Hovey street. Scotland was the subject for the meeting and the papers read by different members bore on the history and literature of that country, while there were readings from the Scottish authors and the music was of Scotland. Refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Katherine Ward had charge of the program.



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VANDERBILT'S EXILE

REGINALD CAN RETURN TO NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Reginald Vanderbilt is back from exile. For months he has remained away from New York, except for an occasional flying trip here on Sunday, when he could not be served with legal process as a witness in the Canfield gambling house case.

Many of his friends, influential in politics and society, have called on Dist. Atty. Jerome to plead for the young man, urging that he be permitted to visit New York without fear of being drawn into the scandal, but Mr. Jerome refused to listen to these appeals.

The decision of the court of appeals last week in the case of Jesse Lewisohn, the recalcitrant witness in the Canfield case, in which it was held that a patron of a gambling house cannot be compelled to testify as to what goes on in the resort if it would tend to degrade or incriminate him, released "Reggy" from any legal obligations to appear as a witness against Canfield, and he is now back in town enjoying himself for the first time in many months.

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THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

TWO WOMEN FINED

On Joint Complaint of Keeping Liquor

JUDGE HADLEY COMMENTS ON THE CASE

And Refers to the Kearns Liquor Case

GETTING BACK AT SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE

By Whom His Decision Was Reversed

In summing up the evidence in a liquor case heard in police court this morning Judge Hadley said it was not necessary to show intent to sell or to expose for sale in order to find against the defendant. "If the jury in the Kearns case had been instructed in this matter," said his honor, "there would have been a different verdict."

Mary J. Keyes and Mary Shaughnessy were the defendants in today's case. They were tried jointly. They keep a boarding house at the corner of Middlesex and Robson street and certain liquors were seized there by the officers a few days ago.

The witnesses in the case for the government were Officers Atkinson, Brown, Corcoran, T. J. Dwyer, Markham and Inspector Maher. The most damaging evidence was an interview which Officer Atkinson had with Mrs. Shaughnessy. Judge Hadley said the opening of the interview was the key to the situation.

He said that he went to the door and asked Mrs. Shaughnessy if he could get a bottle of beer and that she said yes and proffered him a chair. "She told me wait a minute,' said the officer, "and when she came back she was much agitated. She then told me that I couldn't get any beer there."

The officers searched the premises and found considerable ale and porter. They found a case of porter in Mrs. Keyes' room, cases of ale in other rooms and in a room that Mrs. Keyes said the cook occupied was found two more cases. Mrs. Keyes said she had not been in the room for three years. The officers said it was funny that she would live in a house three years without visiting all the rooms. Mrs. Keyes stuck to it that she hadn't been in the room for that length of time and expressed great surprise to find beer there. It was between 9 and 10 o'clock at night and a lamp was burning in the room, several bottles that had been recently emptied were standing about and two men with beer bottles in their hands were seen going in to another room.

Mrs. Keyes claimed that she had 75 boarders in the house, a statement that the police did not try to deny, and that she had no knowledge of any beer being in the house except what was in her room. She knew, she said, that some of her boarders had beer in their rooms all the time.

Another dark spot in the case for the defendants was the testimony of Mrs. Kelly, the cook. She said she had slept in the house one night within the last month and she couldn't very well account for the lighted lamp and the beer in the room that Mrs. Keyes said was her's at the boarding house.

Judge Hadley has already stated that the boarding house scheme is more of a blanket to cover illegal sales than a legitimate issue in liquor cases and he found the defendants guilty. Mrs. Keyes was fined $75 and Mrs. Shaughnessy $50. They appealed and were ordered for the superior court in the sum of $300 each.

The case established a precedent in police court. It was the first time in Judge Hadley's day that a Gaelic interpreter was asked for. Mrs. Shaughnessy said she couldn't speak English very well. She thought she could do better if allowed to tell her story in the Old Country tongue.

Deputy Welch cast sheep's eyes at Probation Officer Slattery but the latter shook his head. He knew the deputy wanted him to interpret but he didn't feel qualified. The veteran newspaper reporter of Lowell was also in court and he too shook his head when the deputy looked his way.

Mrs. Shaughnessy got a little bit nervous and finally burst forth in a volume of broken English that was as good as the court required and she told her story so that all could understand.

Officer Peter Corcoran added his mite to the oddity of the case by stating that he heard Mrs. Shaughnessy say to Mrs. Keyes, in the Irish language, that "she came very near giving the officer a bottle of beer."

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Edward L. Nealey and Joseph Clover were fined $6 each and Thomas Kelly was placed on probation.

STATION CLOSED

Explosion Relief Committee Meeting

WILL CONTINUE WORK OF RELIEF

Committee Discusses Plans for Winter

The explosion relief committee held a meeting in Mayor Howe's office at City hall yesterday. The subject of relief was discussed at length and several incidents were related of people attempting to get aid to which they were not entitled.

The committee was authorized to close the office on Middlesex street, but the relief work will continue and special attention will be paid to the cases of necessity in order that there may be no suffering during the coming winter. Some small repairs will be made at once to make shelter more secure.

MEDIATION PLANS

May Result in Opening Mines

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 28.—The mediation committee plan to bring about the opening of the Amalgamated mines and smelters inaugurated by Great Falls people has resulted in an arrangement for a meeting between the committee named and the heads of the copper corporations in Montana on Thursday afternoon or evening in Butte. A telegram was received last night by President Strain of the Great Falls Business Men's Association from President Hill of the Great Northern railroad, saying he would be able to be in Butte Thursday afternoon. Immediately thereafter telegrams were sent to Messrs. Scullon and Heinze informing them that this committee would like to meet them Thursday.

At a special meeting of the mill and smeltermen's unions of Great Falls, a committee composed of Edwin Young, Joseph Shuler, James Lithgo, E. A. Varnum and Luther Esty was appointed to meet a similar committee from the Butte miners union at Helena today. The committee goes with instructions to consider any measures that may be deemed advisable to bring about an early resumption of the Amalgamated Copper company plant.

The committee goes especially instructed to urge Governor Toole to call an extraordinary session of the legislature, which, it is hoped may result in the passage of a law which will help to improve the conditions arising from the legal difficulties of the Amalgamated company and Heinze. Representing the two strongest labor organizations in the state, it is believed the committee will be able to expedite matters.

Action will also be taken urging that the hearing of the case before the supreme court will not be docketed but taken up at once as its urgency demands. Resolutions will be adopted by the committee and the matter will then be present to the governor without delay.

THEATRE BURNED

DISASTROUS FIRE OCCURRED IN PHILADELPHIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28—Fire early today destroyed the Girard avenue theatre at Girard avenue and Marshall street. The loss is estimated at $60,000. The Girard was for many years the home of a stock company, but this season was thrown open to road companies.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Eugene Ninteau and Miss Antonia Ratelle were married at 7 o'clock yesterday morning at St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. I., officiated. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

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POLITICAL FIELD

27th District is Yet "Unredeemable"

Westall Boom Appears to Have Fallen Through—O'Brien and McMahon Stronger Than Ever—Strong Indications of Democratic Success in Other Districts

The attempt on the part of the republicans to "redeem" the 27th representative district appears to have died ere its prime and again the re-election of Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon is conceded. During the past several days Candidate Upton has spent considerable time in Lowell seeking support which is denied him in the country towns, but little is heard of his efforts. A few ex-liquor dealers in the district are working for Westall, but their influence is decidedly doubtful. Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon, on the other hand, are being heard from favorably in all corners of the district and when all are talking about them it is a pretty sure sign that they hold the first place in the public mind.

Yesterday Mr. McMahon was both pleased and amused to receive a kind letter from the North Reading Improvement society notifying him that as a mark of their appreciation of his efforts in behalf of Old Home Day in North Reading the society had elected him an honorary member and wished him success. The amusing part of it is the fact that the mother of Candidate Upton, a very estimable lady, is the secretary of the society.

Mr. McMahon is one of the best known and best thought of democrats in the legislature. His popularity and influence are attested by his appointment as a member of the special committee on the revision of salaries of state and county officials. It was Rep. McMahon who turned the laugh on Police Commissioner Emmons during the sessions of the committee. Emmons was hustling about for an increase of salary and when advancing his own cause attempted to show that he had economized in his department and it was found that in the interest of economy he had dispensed with the services of an office boy, thus saving $8 per week.

When friends of Emmons went to Mr. McMahon with a request that he vote for the increase, the latter promptly replied: "Sure, I'll vote to increase his salary."

Then they went away happy and soon it became noised about that McMahon was going to raise Emmons' salary. Immediately there was a rush of remonstrants to the Billerica representative and their spokesman cried out: "You aren't really going to raise Emmons' salary are you?"

"I certainly think he should have a raise," said Mr. McMahon.

"How much are you going to vote him?" was asked.

"Eight per, with the promise that he does the office boy's work," responded Mr. McMahon and the Emmons' boom went up in ridicule.

Vieing with his colleague in popularity and influence Mr. O'Brien is one of the most valuable men in the legislature today. That his worth was recognized is apparent by the fact that the speaker placed him on the important committees of banks and banking as a member of which he distinguished himself by leading the opposition to an important measure in which he was backed by Gov. Bates. Last year, in his inaugural, Gov. Crane recommended the dissolution of savings and national banks and a bill was passed completely separating them so that they could not have quarters in the same building. This measure was an important one as it prevented unscrupulous bankers from fooling the bank examiners. This year, however, with Gov. Crane out of the way a measure was introduced by republicans to exempt certain banks from this law, allowing banks not connected with each other to occupy quarters together. Mr. O'Brien made a vigorous fight against the bill and carried it into the house where he led the democratic opposition. The republican majorities, however, shoved it through both house and senate, and it remained for Gov. Bates to sustain Rep. O'Brien by vetoing the measure.

Unless all signs fail the 28th district will send a full complement of democratic representatives to the legislature, for the strength of the republican candidates so loudly cried about appears to be only in the minds of some of their friends. The three republican candidates are worrying much over the situation and are wheeling their kelpys in the interest of self-preservation. The older republicans cannot stand for Adams and Timmons and will vote for Brown alone. Adams and Timmons each fear that the other will beat him out on democratic votes and hence are going to cut each other to keep down majorities. The three democratic candidates are canvassing quietly and are meeting with assurances of support from most unexpected sources. The mill people of the district realize the fact that they need more men favorable to labor legislation at the state house, and in Messrs. Pinder, Conroy and Ward they have ideal candidates. All are thoroughly familiar with the mill situation and the could lots of the people in mill cities. The three democratic candidates have the ability to speak publicly on any cause they may advocate, while their opponents were never known to do so.

The republicans in the 25th district concede the election of one or more democrats in that district. The ward eight row has caused a feeling that cannot be removed before the election, and the fact that the democrats put up three strong men in Messrs. McManman, Roark and Hendricks, makes success easier for them. Hayes and Ripley are both badly worried.

In the seventh senatorial district, Michael J. Mahoney is making friends wherever he goes and his election seems a certainty. Mr. McKinley's ability to get democratic votes, the secret of his past success, will be more than offset by the republican votes received by Mr. Mahoney.

The latter has a fine record as a member of the legislature to back him up. He is honest, temperate, progressive and an able debater and he would well represent the district if elected.

FIRE ON DUMP

ANOTHER BLAZE ON AIKEN STREET.

A telephone alarm summoned the members of Hose 8 to a fire on the Aiken street dump yesterday afternoon.

Engine 4 responded to a still alarm for a fire in a shed in the rear of a building owned by D. A. McHugh in Fayette street yesterday afternoon. The fire started in a pile of rubbish, but the origin of the blaze is a mystery. The damage was slight.

DEATHS

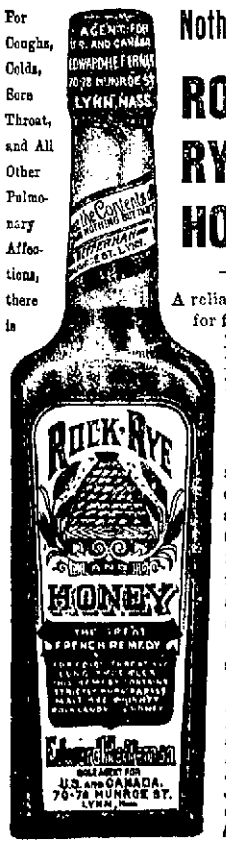
GOULD—Joseph D. Gould, aged 68 years, and an old resident of North Billerica, passed away at his home in that town last night. The deceased leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

FAHEY—Harriet Fahey, aged 62 years, died this morning at her late home, 19 Riverside avenue, off West street, Centralville. The deceased was an old and highly respected resident of this city and a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Patrick, two daughters, Mrs. Frederick P. Clarke, of Cooper, Me., and Miss Mary Fahey of this city, and two sons, Thomas, of Lawrence, and Joseph of Cooper, Me.

BOND OF $40,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 28.—By furnishing a bond for $40,000 McWilliams Brothers of New York have obtained the release of their barge, Allison White, which was attached here last Friday morning as the beginning of a damage suit brought by Thomas Hayden, for $20,000 for injuries alleged to have been received when the barge was here about two years ago. The barge wil probably sail sometime today.



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WOOD ALCOHOL

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Hermangild Ladue, residing at 633 Lakeview avenue, drank wood alcohol by mistake yesterday morning and now is in a serious condition at the Lowell hospital. Mrs. Ladue is confined to her bed by an injury to one of her feet and she has been using a wood alcohol wash for the injured member. Yesterday morning Ladue arose from bed and believing that a goblet which was partly filled with wood alcohol contained water, he drank it. He went to his work as usual in the Lowell Machine shop and when he returned to his home last night he was feeling ill and later was in a semi-conscious state. He continued that way all night and at 9.30 this morning the ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the hospital, where no change has been noted yet in his condition.

ON THE WARPATH

HOTEL OWNER FIRED SHOTS IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TUCSON, Ariz., Oct. 28—Alexander Casey, a wealthy mine owner of Turquois, Ariz., last night walked into the Willard hotel at Tucson, of which he is owner, and began to shoot in every direction. The guests escaped for the most part through the windows.

The shooting attracted five policemen, who attempted to arrest Casey. He opened fire and seriously wounded Constable Pacheco. The other policemen then began to shoot and Casey was probably fatally wounded. He had been drinking heavily.

MR. BAUER COMING.

Mr. Bauer still further increased the high position of his powers and his refined musical taste that his early performances here excited. Of all players who have visited us of late, he must be accorded a special distinction as the musician's player. It is unalloyed delight to listen to him, not only for the perfection of his technic, the beauty of his tone, his utter freedom from anything resembling mere display for the sake of stimulating the applause of the unthinking, his refraining from forcing the tone of the instrument, and his thorough artistic reserve generally, but for the largeness and intellectuality of his style, and the sincere musicianly quality that is exceptionally characteristic of his playing.—Boston Herald.

Mr. Bauer comes to Lowell, Thursday, Nov. 5, where he will give a recital at Colonial hall.

SEIZED AMMUNITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTOR, Col., Oct. 28.—Major Tom E. McClelland, last night, seized ten Winchester rifles and 600 rounds of ammunition found under the residence of J. E. Coogan, a member of the free coinage miners' union of Altman. No arrests were made.

FUNERALS

JOHNSTON—The funeral of Matthew Johnston took place yesterday afternoon from 12 Stackpole street. Prayers were read by Rev. J. M. Craig of the First Presbyterian church, and Mr. David Dobson sang several solos. The bearers were members of Clan Grant and the burial ritual of that order was carried out at the grave in Edson cemetery. Burial was under the direction of Undertaker Young.

BOND—Alma C. Bond, niece of Mrs. Flora A. Tabor, of this city, died in Liberty, N. Y., yesterday, aged 24 years. She was well known in this city, having been a graduate of the high school and the Rogers Hall school. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

SULLIVAN—William Sullivan, aged three months, child of William and Mary, died this morning at the home of his parents, 375 Middlesex street. The funeral took place this afternoon at four o'clock from the home of his parents and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

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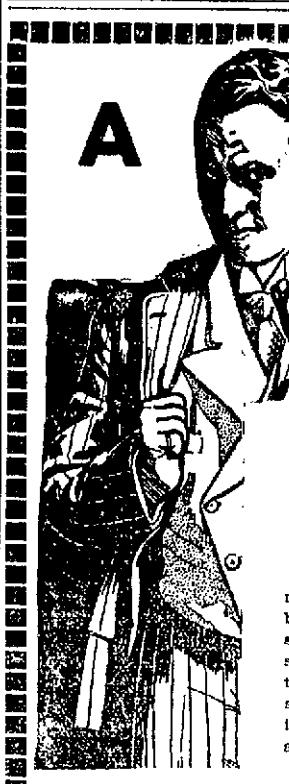

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A democratic rally will be held in ward six this evening and on Friday evening a rally for French voters will be held at L'Association Catholique hall, at which the speakers will be Lieut. Gov. Archambault of Rhode Island and ex-Rep. Amadee Clouthier.

COMMITTEE DATES

THREE MEETINGS AT CITY HALL TOMORROW.

The committee on public baths will hold its meeting on Thursday evening instead of last evening.

The committee on polling places will meet tomorrow evening to arrange for polling places for the socialist caucuses.

The committee on streets will also meet.

The committee on education will meet Friday evening.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

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The cemetery trustees will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

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NIGHT EDITION

6 O'CLOCK

COUNT LAMSDORF

Russian Minister Welcomed to Paris

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Oct. 28—Count Lamsdorf, the Russian foreign minister, arrived here this morning, accompanied by a numerous suite.

M. Delcalsse, the French minister for foreign affairs, was at the railroad station to extend a personal greeting to the Russian minister.

The official character was shown by the presence at the station of M. Mollard, chief of the protocol.

Prince Ouroussof, the Russian ambassador, Prince Orloff and other members of the Russian embassy, were also present. After greetings had been exchanged, Count Lamsdorff was escorted to a hotel. During the day many calls of courtesy were exchanged, the important conferences between M. Delcasse and Count Lamsdorff being deferred until later. The program of the visit has been changed so as to include a grand dinner at the Elysee Palace tomorrow night in honor of Count Lamsdorf. M. Delcasse will give a dinner to the count on the following Friday.

The visit of Count Lamsdorff absorbs the attention of the public and the press, who attribute to it even more important political significance than to the visits of King Edward and King Victor Emmanuel to Paris. The newspapers generally agree that the foreign ministers will discuss the eastern and far eastern questions, but it is said in authoritative quarters today the situation in the far east is not likely to occupy so much attention as expected, since Admiral Alexieff, the Russian viceroy of the far east has been given practically supreme authority over the Russian-Japanese situation.

The Macedonian situation certainly will be gone over and some important details of the Russian-Austrian note to Turkey will be considered. M. Delcasse is desirous of having France represented on the commission of control which is to carry out the reforms in Macedonia.

Among the leading officials, a strong feeling prevails that the main result of the visit of the Russian minister will be a strengthening of the bonds of Franco-Russian allegiance.

GENERAL MILES

SAYS HE HAS NO INTERESTS IN TEXAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 28.—General Nelson A Miles came to Seattle last night from California, where he has been looking after property interests. He will leave today for Washington.

General Miles denied recent stories that he had made heavy investments in Texas oil fields and intended to make that state his home. He declared he has no interests in Texas.

CONSERVATIVES ELECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 28—Major Arthur Hamilton Lee and the Marquis of Hamilton, both conservatives, have been re-elected to parliament without opposition for the south, or Fareham, division of Hampshire, and for Londonderry city respectively in consequence of the former being appointed a civil lord of the admiralty and the latter treasurer of the household.

CLUBS RAIDED

Police Looking for Sakooni's Murderer

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 28—The search of the police for the murderer of Sagatel Sakooni, president of the Armenian revolutionary society in London, who was shot and killed by an unknown assassin in the suburb of Nunhead, late Monday evening, had been futile up to noon today. Several foreign revolutionary clubs were raided during the early hours of the morning, but with no result.

The inquest opened this morning and it transpired that the police yesterday evening were misinformed on the subject to the pistol used by the assassin being an automatic 10-shot weapon It is an ordinary, 5-shot, silver plated revolver, numbered 1056.

It developed at the inquest that the murderer shot with his left hand.

WEISENBERG ARRESTED

IN CONNECTION WITH THE MURDER OF MABEL BECHTEL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—David Weisenberg of Allentown, Pa., the salesman who surrendered himself to the police upon learning that he was wanted to tell what he knows about Mabel Bechtel, the murdered Allentown girl was formally placed under arrest by Detective Knauss of Allentown, at police headquarters early today.

Weisenberg wanted to start at once for Allentown, but he was held to be arraigned in police court.

Weisenberg says that the girl told him that she had a quarrel with Alfred Eckstein, to whom she was engaged. He says that according to the story told by the girl's mother at the time the body was placed in the alley way by two men, he was in a barber shop in Bethlehem.

KILLED HIMSELF

BUSINESS AFFAIRS WORRIED BOSTON MAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—Despondent over business affairs, Francis Cline, 31 years of age, shot and killed himself at his home, 22 Green street, today. He is survived by a widow.

EMPEROR AND CZAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 28.—According to the present arrangements, Emperor William and the Czar will meet first at Darmstadt, the former travelling thither to meet his brother monarch. The Czar afterwards will return the visit at Wiesbaden.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEWISTON, Maine, Oct. 28.—An executive session was held this afternoon in preparation for the 23rd annual convention of the Maine Woman Suffrage Association which opens tomorrow morning and continued to Friday. The delegates arriving today will be given a reception.

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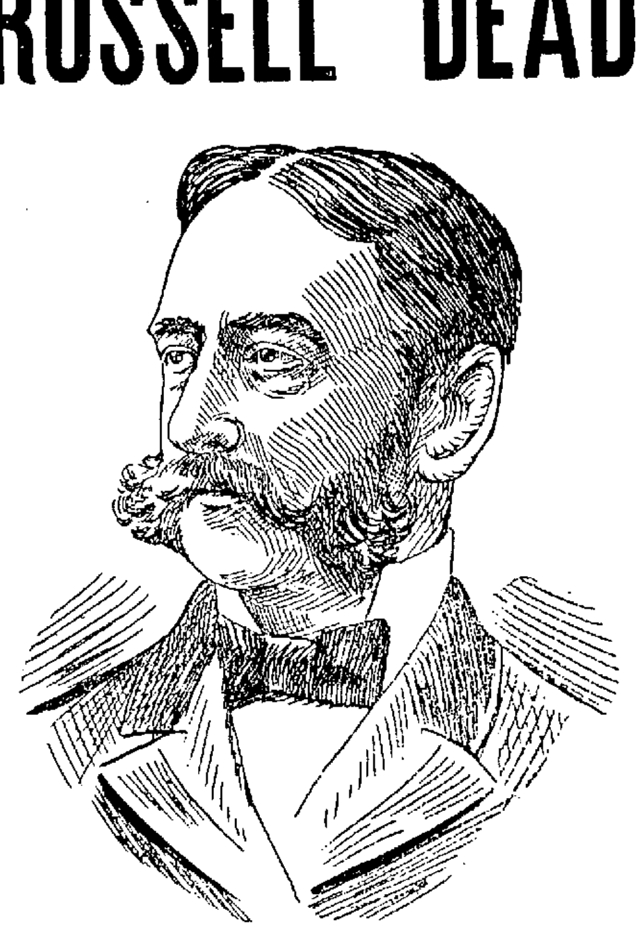

THE LATE HON. JOHN E. RUSSELL.

Former Candidate for Governor Victim of Heart Disease

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Hon. John E. Russell died at midnight at his home in Leicester. The cause was heart disease.

Mr. Russell formerly was one of the most prominent democrats in this state. He was a member of the 42nd congress, from the Tenth Massachusetts district and subsequently was twice the candidate of his party for governor, but was defeated. He had been a member of important political bodies and commissions and was considered an orator and writer of great ability.

He had long been ill and hope for his recovery was given up sometime ago. He was born at Greenfield in 1834. A widow survives him.

CRANE NAMED

He May be Mark Hanna's Successor

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28—Senator Hanna is expected to retire from the chairmanship of the republican national committee on account of his health, and he will be succeeded by ex-Gov. W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts, unless Mr. Crane declines to serve. It is known that if Senator Hanna retires, the selection of Mr. Crane would be especially agreeable to President Roosevelt, and this will probably affect Mr. Crane's decision. Senator Hanna will remain in the chairmanship if possible, until the Republican national convention meets. By that time Mr. Crane will have been selected as the successor of Ambassador Meyer, who is the Massachusetts member of the Republican national committee. If Senator Hanna should feel that he would like to retire in December, when the Republican national committee will meet here to select the time and place, and issue the call for the national convention, Gov. Crane can be chosen chairman then.

Lewis A. Coolidge, a Massachusetts newspaper man, and protege of Senator Lodge, as well as a classmate of President Roosevelt at Harvard, is slated to become secretary of the Republican national committee when that body meets in Washington, in December. This information comes from a high source, and means the retirement of Perry Heath of Utah, formerly assistant postmaster-general, who has been secretary of the committee since 1896. Heath's name has been connected with the scandals in the post-office department, and the Bristow report, now in the hands of the president, is said to deal unsparingly with his administration of office of first assistant.

Postmaster-general Payne, who is vice-chairman of the Republican national committee, may retire after the next national Republican convention, unless his health improves. No one has yet been suggested as his successor in case he should retire.

HEINZE'S DENIAL

SAYS THERE IS NO TRUTH TO LAWSON'S CLAIMS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 28.—F. Augustus Heinze when asked by The Associated Press, early today, what he had to say in reply to the offer of Thomas Lawson looking to a settlement between him (Heinze) and the Amalgamated Copper company, in which Mr. Lawson proposed that an arbitration board arbitrate the price offered by Mr. Lawson for Heinze's Butte holdings and the price asked by Mr. Heinze and the giving as a commission the sum of $250,000 to the Butte miners' union to secure the arbitration as proposed by Mr. Lawson, said:

"The people of Boston and the stock exchange and in New York know Thomas W. Lawson so well that it is hardly necessary for their benefit to characterize his statements. The dispatch which I have just received in which he states that I demand $7,000,000 for all of my property in Butte is entirely without any foundation in fact.

"I would not for an instant consider any communication of a business character seriously from him. And as I never have in the past mentioned any figure at which I would sell my interests in Butte and have a number of times refused twice what he says in his message I demanded of him, it is unnecessary to say anything further."

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JUDGE FORSAITH

Will Not Issue Warrant For Jennings

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—For the time being, anyway, the famous Jennings-O'Connell political case, which grew out of the recent filing of nomination papers with the democratic city committee, is ended by the refusal of Judge Forsaith of the municipal court to grant a warrant for the arrest of Malachi Jennings.

Unless the times on the papers are changed by Secy. Jennings there is every likelihood of the case again coming into court after the papers are filed with the election commissioners. That is the way the matter stands now.

Horace G. Allen in the opening of the case as counsel for Secretary Jennings contended that the present was not the time to make application for a warrant anyway, as the plaintiff should wait until the papers had been filed with the election commissioners.

Ex-Judge Henry S. Dewey, counsel for Joseph F. O'Connell, contended that the placing of the papers within the inclosure in the democratic city committee rooms was a proper filing of them, no matter whether they had been handed to the secretary or thrown into that space. The actual presence of the secretary at the time was immaterial to the filing of the papers, within the meaning of the law.

Judge Forsaith said that if he were sitting with the election commissioners his decision might be that Fred P. O'Connell had been the first to file papers, after those of ward 16, that Sec'y Jennings might have been neglectful and might not have done perhaps just what he should have in the case.

"The question came as to whether or not it was his duty to stop receiving papers over the rail and to stoop and pick from the floor those which O'Connell had thrown over the rail and mark the time of their receipt upon them.

"There was no question as to the result of his negligence to do so, and the question is as to what was in his mind at the time. I feel he made a mistake and neglected his duty, but I am not passing on the filing of the papers.

"I am to pass on the question of wilful neglect, and whether or not he should be placed on trial on a criminal charge. I have thought of the matter for several days and have given the case every consideration; having some experience in sitting with the election commissioners I feel I have some knowledge of how things are done. After hearing the evidence I cannot and would not find him guilty of wilful neglect.

The court then formally declined to grant a warrant in the case.

CHARGES MADE

AGAINST ASSOCIATION OF EMPLOYING STONE CUTTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—In a statement to the public issued by the firm of William Bradley & Son, contracting stone cutters, in Brooklyn, it is alleged that their employes, about 100 in number, have been ordered on strike at the instigation of an association of employing stone cutters which has formed an alliance with labor unions connected with the trade in Greater New York.

The firm charges specifically that members of the association regularly add ten per cent. to all bids for stone work and after averaging bids the association's officer's apportion the contracts; that this added ten per cent. amounts annually to about $600,000, which is divided with the unions, the latter receiving about $80,000, the balance going to the association.

The president of the corporation, E. F. Giberson, threatens to appeal to the courts if his men do not return to work. In his statement, Giberson alleges that the unions were taken into the plan in order to force all the employers to become members of the association and that the walking delegates agreed to harrass employers who refused to sign.

PLENTY OF SNOW.

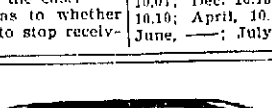
By Associated Press to The Sun

WINSTED, Conn., Oct. 28.—People in northwestern Connecticut awoke today to find the ground covered with snow to the depth of nearly an inch. The snow disappeared later.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Cotton: Futures opened firm. Oct. 9.98; Nov. 10.01; Dec. 10.15; Jan. 10.08; March, 10.10; April, 10.13 bid; May, 10.10; June, ——; July, 10.15 @ 10.16.



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FUNERAL NOTICES

FUNERAL NOTICE—At North Billerica, Oct. 27, Joseph D. Gould, aged 69 years. Services Friday, Oct. 30, at 3.15 p. m. Friends invited. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers.

WANTED

WANTED—Two large gas radiators; new or second hand. Inquire S. G. C., 27 State street.

FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS—We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

YOUNG LADIES to learn the fastest system of shorthand in 20 lessons; absolutely most complete and up-to-date methods; position guaranteed; lessons by mail exclusively; no interference with regular occupation; 25 cents per lesson; no difficulties; everything simple and clear; indorsed by boards of education and leading newspapers; thousands of graduates; first lesson free for stamps. Department 85 A. Campaign of Education, 211 Townsend bldg. New York.

WANTED—Small child to board. Inquire Sun office.

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BOARDERS WANTED at 867 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

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CARPENTERS WANTED at 46 Fort Hill avenue.

WANTED—At once, girl to do housework. Apply Weston house, 209 Appleton street.

WANTED—Good reliable man to work on farm. Apply J. W. Flemings, North Tewksbury, Mass.

WANTED—Elderly woman to take care of two children; must be able to go home evenings. Call 1 rear 34 Coburn street.

CARPENTERS WANTED at once. Apply A. F. Raheour, corner West 4th and Bridge streets.

WOMEN WANTED to sell a necessity to mothers; $12 a week clear. Dept. M., Box 78, Philadelphia.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Slover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

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WANTED—Old lady to do housework and take care of child. Rear 124 High street.

WANTED—Cook for restaurant. Apply 44 Bridge street.

WANTED—A young girl to help around a house; can go home nights. Address G., this office.

WANTED—Table girl at 98 John street.

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WANTED—Good kitchen girl at 780 Lawrence street. Call from 2 to 4 o'clock.

WANTED—A woman to keep house for a working family. Apply at the Sun office.

WANTED—Carriage painters at Goyette's, 286 Thorndike street.

TO LET

TO LET—Just what you want; front room, furnished, steam heat, bath. 26 West 6th street.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 603 Merrimack street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 414 Broadway.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—Furnished front room, use of bath, $1 a week. 855 Middlesex street, side door.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 603 Merrimack street.

TO LET—At 1087 Middlesex street, tenement of seven rooms with all modern improvements, in new house. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—On Walker street, nice tenement and stable will be vacant Nov. 1st. E. W. White, 137 Central street.

TO RENT—Modern house, bath, hot water, set tubs, furnace heat; exclusive neighborhood. E. H. White, 137 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement on Fayette street, 6 rooms; $8 a month; also small tenement, $6. Inquire at 173 East Merrimack street.

TO LET—Cottage house, recently put in good order, in Batchelder place, off Walker street. Key next door.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 8 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $3, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $4.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $3, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street 3 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $8.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

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Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 203 Middlesex street.

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SITUATION WANTED—By lady as housekeeper in small family; best of reference. Call or address H. S., 655 Merrimack street.

WANTED—Situation by an American woman as working housekeeper in small Protestant family. Call or address Housekeeper, 839 Mammoth road.

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ALMOST GIVEN AWAY—A nearly new two-tenement house, 6 rooms on each floor, bath rooms, etc., in each tenement; one tenement already rented, the other is waiting for you; buy this fine house; right at the door of all the large manufacturing concerns; paved streets, cars pass, electric lights, etc.; $50 or more down secures this place, balance as rent; come today and bring $50 or more with you and secure the best thing on earth, a home; pay rent for 50 years and you will have no interest in a house; start a house of your own today; how many years have you been paying rent to a landlord? wouldn't it almost pay for a fine house? if you want to quit renting, if you want to own your own home, don't let this opportunity slip from your grasp. Call today. The S Lagasse Co., Centralville. Residence, 318 Hildreth street.

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FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 129 Branch street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fast bay pacer, pneumatic tired wagon and Concord wagon. Inquire 223 Moody street.

LADIES, ATTENTION—Big bargains; dress goods, remnants, from the Merrimack Woolen Co. Corner store, Lakeview and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 276 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Bakery, centrally located; bargain if sold at once; stock and fixtures. Apply 117 Chapel street.

FOR SALE—St. Bernard dog; 3 years old; first class watch dog. Inquire 27 West Fourth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, lot of land in Dracut. Inquire 236 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Ouillet, 23 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of H. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 60c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kreigee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

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STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 106 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 750 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

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MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 69 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-18.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 180 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGowan Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A ring between Kinsman and Whipple streets. Finder please return to 13 Kinsman street and receive reward.

LOST—Beaded side bag containing sum of money and other articles between Merrimack square and post office. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Monday night on Merrimack street, a Boston bag containing small sum of money. Finder will please return same to salesman No. 9 at Merrimack Clothing Co. and receive reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, monogram on case, somewhere between Durant and John streets. Reward for return to 117 Durant street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—Pair of glass-cut rosary beads Sunday between St. Joseph's church and Merrimack square. Return to 735 Aiken street. E. S. Demarias.

LOST—$10 bill either on Lawrence street car or on Lawrence street. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

LOST—Lady's black silk belt with fancy colored metal buckle, on Merrimack or East Merrimack street. Suitable reward at The Sun office.

THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

TWO WOMEN FINED

On Joint Complaint of Keeping Liquor

JUDGE HADLEY COMMENTS ON THE CASE

And Refers to the Kearns Liquor Case

GETTING BACK AT SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE

By Whom His Decision Was Reversed

In summing up the evidence in a liquor case heard in police court this morning Judge Hadley said it was not necessary to show intent to sell or to expose for sale in order to find against the defendant. "If the jury in the Kearns case had been instructed in this matter," said his honor, "there would have been a different verdict."

Mary J. Keyes and Mary Shaughnessy were the defendants in today's case. They were tried jointly. They keep a boarding house at the corner of Middlesex and Robson street and certain liquors were seized there by the officers a few days ago.

The witnesses in the case for the government were Officers Atkinson, Brown, Corcoran, T. J. Dwyer, Markham and Inspector Maher. The most damaging evidence was an interview which Officer Atkinson had with Mrs. Shaughnessy. Judge Hadley said the opening of the interview was the key to the situation.

He said that he went to the door and asked Mrs. Shaughnessy if he could get a bottle of beer and that she said yes and proffered him a chair. "She told me wait a minute," said the officer, "and when she came back she was much agitated. She then told me that I couldn't get any beer there."

The officers searched the premises and found considerable ale and porter. They found a case of porter in Mrs. Keyes' room, cases of ale in other rooms and in a room that Mrs. Keyes said the cook occupied was found two more cases. Mrs. Keyes said she had not been in the room for three years. The officers said it was funny that she would live in a house three years without visiting all the rooms. Mrs. Keyes stuck to it that she hadn't been in the room for that length of time and expressed great surprise to find beer there. It was between 9 and 10 o'clock at night and a lamp was burning in the room, several bottles that had been recently emptied were standing about and two men with beer bottles in their hands were seen going in to another room.

Mrs. Keyes claimed that she had 75 boarders in the house, a statement that the police did not try to deny, and that she had no knowledge of any beer being in the house except what was in her room. She knew, she said, that some of her boomers had beer in their rooms all the time.

Another dark spot in the case for the defendants was the testimony of Mrs. Kelly, the cook. She said she had slept in the house one night within the last month and she couldn't very well account for the lighted lamp and the beer in the room that Mrs. Keyes said was her's at the boarding house.

Judge Hadley has already stated that the boarding house scheme is more of a blanket to cover illegal sales than a legitimate issue in liquor cases and he found the defendants guilty. Mrs. Keyes was fined $75 and Mrs. Shaughnessy $50. They appealed and were ordered for the superior court in the sum of $300 each.

The case established a precedent in police court. It was the first time in Judge Hadley's day that a Gaelic interpreter was asked for. Mrs. Shaughnessy said she couldn't speak English very well. She thought she could do better if allowed to tell her story in the Old Country tongue.

Deputy Welch cast sheep's eyes at Probation Officer Slattery but the latter shook his head. He knew the deputy wanted him to interpret but he didn't feel qualified. The veteran newspaper reporter of Lowell was also in court and he too shook his head when the deputy looked his way.

Mrs. Shaughnessy got a little bit nervous and finally burst forth in a volume of broken English that was as good as the court required and she told her story so that all could understand.

Officer Peter Corcoran added his mite to the oddity of the case by stating that he heard Mrs. Shaughnessy say to Mrs. Keyes, in the Irish language, that "she came very near giving the officer a bottle of beer."

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Edward L. Nealey and Joseph Cloeer were fined $6 each and Thomas Kelly was placed on probation.

STATION CLOSED

Explosion Relief Committee Meeting

WILL CONTINUE WORK OF RELIEF

Committee Discusses Plans for Winter

The explosion relief committee held a meeting in Mayor Howe's office at City hall yesterday. The subject of relief was discussed at length and several incidents were related of people attempting to get aid to which they were not entitled.

The committee was authorized to close the office on Middlesex street, but the relief work will continue and special attention will be paid to the cases of necessity in order that there may be no suffering during the coming winter. Some small repairs will be made at once to make shelter more secure.

MEDIATION PLANS

May Result in Opening Mines

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 28.—The mediation committee plan to bring about the opening of the Amalgamated mines and smelters inaugurated by Great Falls people has resulted in an arrangement for a meeting between the committee named and the heads of the copper corporations in Montana on Thursday afternoon or evening in Butte. A telegram was received last night by President Strain of the Great Falls Business Men's Association from President Hill of the Great Northern railroad, saying he would be able to be in Butte Thursday afternoon. Immediately thereafter telegrams were sent to Messrs. Scallon and Heinze informing them that this committee would like to meet them Thursday.

At a special meeting of the mill and smeltermen's unions of Great Falls, a committee composed of Edwin Young, Joseph Shuler, James Lithgo, E. A. Varnum and Luther Esty was appointed to meet a similar committee from the Butte miners union at Helena today. The committee goes with instructions to consider any measures that may be deemed advisable to bring about an early resumption of the Amalgamated Copper company plant.

The committee goes especially instructed to urge Governor Toole to call an extraordinary session of the legislature, which, it is hoped may result in the passage of a law which will help to improve the conditions arising from the legal difficulties of the Amalgamated company and Heinze. Representing the two strongest labor organizations in the state, it is believed the committee will be able to expedite matters.

Action will also be taken urging that the hearing of the case before the supreme court will not be docketed but taken up at once as its urgency demands. Resolutions will be adopted by the committee and the matter will then be present to the governor without delay.

THEATRE BURNED

DISASTROUS FIRE OCCURRED IN PHILADELPHIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28—Fire early today destroyed the Girard avenue theatre at Girard avenue and Marshall street. The loss is estimated at $60,000. The Girard was for many years the home of a stock company, but this season was thrown open to road companies.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Eugene Ninteau and Miss Antonia Ratelle were married at 7 o'clock yesterday morning at St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. I., officiated. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

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POLITICAL FIELD

27th District is Yet "Unredeemable"

Westall Boom Appears to Have Fallen Through—O'Brien and McMahon Stronger Than Ever—Strong Indications of Democratic Success in Other Districts

The attempt on the part of the republicans to "redeem" the 27th representative district appears to have died ere its prime and again the re-election of Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon is conceded. During the past several days Candidate Upton has spent considerable time in Lowell seeking support which is denied him in the country towns, but little is heard of his efforts. A few ex-liquor dealers in the district are working for Westall, but their influence is decidedly doubtful. Messrs. O'Brien and McMahon, on the other hand, are being heard from favorably in all corners of the district and when all are talking about them it is a pretty sure sign that they hold the first place in the public mind.

Yesterday Mr. McMahon was both pleased and amused to receive a kind letter from the North Reading Improvement society notifying him that as a mark of their appreciation of his efforts in behalf of Old Home Day in North Reading the society had elected him an honorary member and wished him success. The amusing part of it is the fact that the mother of Candidate Upton, a very estimable lady, is the secretary of the society.

Mr. McMahon is one of the best known and best thought of democrats in the legislature. His popularity and influence are attested by his appointment as a member of the special committee on the revision of salaries of state and county officials. It was Rep. McMahon who turned the laugh on Police Commissioner Emmons during the sessions of the committee. Emmons was hustling about for an increase of salary and when advancing his own cause attempted to show that he had economized in his department and it was found that in the interest of economy he had dispensed with the services of an office boy, thus saving $8 per week.

When friends of Emmons went to Mr. McMahon with a request that he vote for the increase, the latter promptly replied: "Sure, I'll vote to increase his salary."

Then they went away happy and soon it became noised about that McMahon was going to raise Emmons' salary. Immediately there was a rush of remonstrants to the Billerica representative and their spokesman cried out: "You aren't really going to raise Emmons' salary are you?"

"I certainly think he should have a raise," said Mr. McMahon.

"How much are you going to vote him?" was asked.

"Eight per, with the promise that he does the office boy's work," responded Mr. McMahon and the Emmons' boom went up in ridicule.

Vieing with his colleague in popularity and influence Mr. O'Brien is one of the most valuable men in the legislature today. That his worth was recognized is apparent by the fact that the speaker placed him on the important committees of banks and banking as a member of which he distinguished himself by leading the opposition to an important measure in which he was backed by Gov. Bates. Last year, in his inaugural, Gov. Crane recommended the dissolution of savings and national banks and a bill was passed completely separating them so that they could not have quarters in the same building. This measure was an important one as it prevented unscrupulous bankers from fooling the bank examiners. This year, however, with Gov. Crane out of the way a measure was introduced by republicans to exempt certain banks from this law, allowing banks not connected with each other to occupy quarters together. Mr. O'Brien made a vigorous fight against the bill and carried it into the house where he led the democratic opposition. The republican majorities, however, shoved it through both house and senate, and it remained for Gov. Bates to sustain Rep. O'Brien by vetoing the measure.

Unless all signs fail the 26th district will send a full complement of democratic representatives to the legislature, for the strength of the republican candidates so loudly cried about appears to be only in the minds of some of their friends. The three republican candidates are worrying much over the situation and are whetting their knives in the interest of self-preservation. The older republicans cannot stand for Adams and Timmons and will vote for Brown alone. Adams and Timmons each fear that the other will beat him out on democratic votes and hence are going to cut each other to keep down majorities. The three democratic candidates are canvassing quietly and are meeting with assurances of support from most unexpected sources. The mill people of the district realize the fact that they need more men favorable to labor legislation at the state house, and in Messrs. Pinder, Conroy and Ward they have ideal candidates. All are thoroughly familiar with the mill situation and the conditions of the people in mill cities. The three democratic candidates have the ability to speak publicly on any cause they may advocate, while their opponents were never known to do so.

The republicans in the 25th district concede the election of one or more democrats in that district. The ward eight row has caused a feeling that cannot be removed before the election, and the fact that the democrats put up three strong men in Messrs. McMannon, Roark and Hendricks, makes success easier for them. Hayes and Ripley are both badly worried.

In the seventh senatorial district, Michael J. Mahoney is making friends wherever he goes and his election seems a certainty. Mr. McKinley's ability to get democratic votes, the secret of his past success, will be more than offset by the republican votes received by Mr. Mahoney.

The latter has a fine record as a member of the legislature to back him up. He is honest, temperate, progressive and an able debater and he would well represent the district if elected.

FIRE ON DUMP

ANOTHER BLAZE ON AIKEN STREET.

A telephone alarm summoned the members of Hose 8 to a fire on the Aiken street dump yesterday afternoon.

Engine 4 responded to a still alarm for a fire in a shed in the rear of a building owned by D. A. McHugh in Fayette street yesterday afternoon. The fire started in a pile of rubbish, but the origin of the blaze is a mystery. The damage was slight.

DEATHS

GOULD—Joseph D. Gould, aged 68 years, and an old resident of North Billerica, passed away at his home in that town last night. The deceased leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

FAHEY—Harriet Fahey, aged 62 years, died this morning at her late home, 19 Riverside avenue, off West street, Centralville. The deceased was an old and highly respected resident of this city and a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Patrick, two daughters, Mrs. Frederick P. Clarke, of Cooper, Me., and Miss Mary Fahey of this city, and two sons, Thomas, of Lawrence, and Joseph of Cooper, Me.

BOND OF $40,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 28.—By furnishing a bond for $40,000 McWilliams Brothers of New York have obtained the release of their barge, Allison White, which was attached here last Friday morning as the beginning of a damage suit brought by Thomas Hayden, for $20,000 for injuries alleged to have been received when the barge was here about two years ago. The barge will probably sail sometime today.

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WOOD ALCOHOL

Man Who Drank It is in Serious Condition

Hermangild Laduc, residing at 683 Lakeview avenue, drank wood alcohol by mistake yesterday morning and now is in a serious condition at the Lowell hospital. Mrs. Laduc is confined to her bed by an injury to one of her feet and she has been using a wood alcohol wash for the injured member. Yesterday morning Laduc arose from bed and believing that a goblet which was partly filled with wood alcohol contained water, he drank it. He went to his work as usual in the Lowell Machine shop and when he returned to his home last night he was feeling ill and later was in a semi-conscious state. He continued that way all night and at 9.30 this morning the ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the hospital, where no change has been noted yet in his condition.

ON THE WARPATH

HOTEL OWNER FIRED SHOTS IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TUCSON, Ariz., Oct. 28—Alexander Casey, a wealthy mine owner of Turquois, Ariz., last night walked into the Willard hotel at Tucson, of which he is owner, and began to shoot in every direction. The guests escaped for the most part through the windows.

The shooting attracted five policemen, who attempted to arrest Casey. He opened fire and seriously wounded Constable Pacheco. The other policemen then began to shoot and Casey was probably fatally wounded. He had been drinking heavily.

MR. BAUER COMING.

Mr. Bauer still further increased the high position of his powers and his refined musical taste that his early performances here excited. Of all players who have visited us of late, he must be accorded a special distinction as the musician's player. It is unalloyed delight to listen to him, not only for the perfection of his technic, the beauty of his tone, his utter freedom from anything resembling mere display for the sake of stimulating the applause of the unthinking, his refraining from forcing the tone of the instrument, and his thorough artistic reserve generally, but for the largeness and intellectuality of his style, and the sincere musicianly quality that is exceptionally characteristic of his playing.—Boston Herald.

Mr. Bauer comes to Lowell, Thursday, Nov. 5, where he will give a recital at Colonial hall.

SEIZED AMMUNITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTOR, Col., Oct. 28.—Major Tom E. McClelland, last night, seized ten Winchester rifles and 600 rounds of ammunition found under the residence of J. E. Coogan, a member of the free coinage miners' union of Altman. No arrests were made.

FUNERALS

JOHNSTON—The funeral of Matthew Johnston took place yesterday afternoon from 12 Stackpole street. Prayers were read by Rev. J. M. Craig of the First Presbyterian church, and Mr. David Dobson sang several solos. The bearers were members of Clan Grant and the burial ritual of that order was carried out at the grave in Edson cemetery. Burial was under the direction of Undertaker Young.

BOND—Alma C. Bond, niece of Mrs. Flora A. Tabor, of this city, died in Liberty, N. Y., yesterday, aged 24 years. She was well known in this city, having been a graduate of the high school and the Rogers Hall school. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

SULLIVAN—William Sullivan, aged three months, child of William and Mary, died this morning at the home of his parents, 375 Middlesex street. The funeral took place this afternoon at four o'clock from the home of his parents and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

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FRENCH VOTERS

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A democratic rally will be held in ward six this evening and on Friday evening a rally for French voters will be held at L'Association Catholique hall, at which the speakers will be Lieut. Gov. Archambault of Rhode Island and ex-Rep. Amadee Clouthier.

COMMITTEE DATES

THREE MEETINGS AT CITY HALL TOMORROW.

The committee on public baths will hold its meeting on Thursday evening instead of last evening.

The committee on polling places will meet tomorrow evening to arrange for polling places for the socialist caucuses.

The committee on streets will also meet.

The committee on education will meet Friday evening.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

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The cemetery trustees will meet at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

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NIGHT EDITION

6 O'CLOCK

COUNT LAMSDORF

Russian Minister Welcomed to Paris

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Oct. 28—Count Lamsdorf, the Russian foreign minister, arrived here this morning, accompanied by a numerous suite.

M. Delcaisse, the French minister for foreign affairs, was at the railroad station to extend a personal greeting to the Russian minister.

The official character was shown by the presence at the station of M. Mollard, chief of the protocol.

Prince Ouroussof, the Russian ambassador, Prince Orloff and other members of the Russian embassy, were also present. After greetings had been exchanged, Count Lamsdorff was escorted to a hotel. During the day many calls of courtesy were exchanged, the important conferences between M. Delcasse and Count Lamsdorff being deferred until later. The program of the visit has been changed so as to include a grand dinner at the Elysee Palace tomorrow night in honor of Count Lamsdorf. M. Delcasse will give a dinner to the count on the following Friday.

The visit of Count Lamsdorff absorbs the attention of the public and the press, who attribute to it even more important political significance than to the visits of King Edward and King Victor Emmanuel to Paris. The newspapers generally agree that the foreign ministers will discuss the eastern and far eastern questions, but it is said in authoritative quarters today the situation in the far east is not likely to occupy so much attention as expected, since Admiral Alexieff, the Russian viceroy of the far east has been given practically supreme authority over the Russian-Japanese situation.

The Macedonian situation certainly will be gone over and some important details of the Russian-Austrian note to Turkey will be considered. M. Delcasse is desirous of having France represented on the commission of control which is to carry out the reforms in Macedonia.

Among the leading officials, a strong feeling prevails that the main result of the visit of the Russian minister will be a strengthening of the bonds of Franco-Russian allegiance.

CLUBS RAIDED

Police Looking for Sakooni's Murderer

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 28—The search of the police for the murderer of Sagatel Sakooni, president of the Armenian revolutionary society in London, who was shot and killed by an unknown assassin in the suburb of Nunhead, late Monday evening, had been futile up to noon today. Several foreign revolutionary clubs were raided during the early hours of the morning, but with no result.

The inquest opened this morning and it transpired that the police yesterday evening were misinformed on the subject to the pistol used by the assassin being an automatic 10-shot weapon. It is an ordinary, 5-shot, silver plated revolver, numbered 1056.

It developed at the inquest that the murderer shot with his left hand.

WEISENBERG ARRESTED

IN CONNECTION WITH THE MURDER OF MABEL BECHTEL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—David Weisenberg of Allentown, Pa., the salesman who surrendered himself to the police upon learning that he was wanted to tell what he knows about Mabel Bechtel, the murdered Allentown girl was formally placed under arrest by Detective Knauss of Allentown, at police headquarters early today.

Weisenberg wanted to start at once for Allentown, but he was held to be arraigned in police court.

Weisenberg says that the girl told him that she had a quarrel with Alfred Eckstein, to whom she was engaged. He says that according to the story told by the girl's mother at the time the body was placed in the alley way by two men, he was in a barber shop in Bethlehem.

KILLED HIMSELF

BUSINESS AFFAIRS WORRIED BOSTON MAN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—Despondent over business affairs, Francis Cline, 31 years of age, shot and killed himself at his home, 22 Green street, today. He is survived by a widow.

EMPEROR AND CZAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 28.—According to the present arrangements, Emperor William and the Czar will meet first at Darmstadt, the former traveling thither to meet his brother monarch. The Czar afterwards will return the visit at Wiesbaden.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEWISTON, Maine, Oct. 28.—An executive session was held this afternoon in preparation for the 23rd annual convention of the Maine Woman Suffrage Association which opens tomorrow morning and continued to Friday. The delegates arriving today will be given a reception.

GENERAL MILES

SAYS HE HAS NO INTERESTS IN TEXAS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 28.—General Nelson A Miles came to Seattle last night from California, where he has been looking after property interests. He will leave today for Washington.

General Miles denied recent stories that he had made heavy investments in Texas oil fields and intended to make that state his home. He declared he has no interests in Texas.

CONSERVATIVES ELECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 28—Major Arthur Hamilton Lee and the Marquis of Hamilton, both conservatives, have been re-elected to parliament without opposition for the south, or Fareham, division of Hampshire, and for Londonderry city respectively in consequence of the former being appointed a civil lord of the admiralty and the latter treasurer of the household.

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RUSSELL DEAD

THE LATE HON. JOHN E. RUSSELL.

Former Candidate for Governor Victim of Heart Disease

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 28.—The Hon. John E. Russell died at midnight at his home in Leicester. The cause was heart disease.

Mr. Russell formerly was one of the most prominent democrats in this state. He was a member of the 42nd congress, from the Tenth Massachusetts district and subsequently was twice the candidate of his party for governor, but was defeated. He had been a member of important political bodies and commissions and was considered an orator and writer of great ability.

He had long been ill and hope for his recovery was given up sometime ago. He was born at Greenfield in 1834. A widow survives him.

CRANE NAMED

He May be Mark Hanna's Successor

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28—Senator Hanna is expected to retire from the chairmanship of the republican national committee on account of his health, and he will be succeeded by ex-Gov. W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts, unless Mr. Crane declines to serve. It is known that if Senator Hanna retires, the selection of Mr. Crane would be especially agreeable to President Roosevelt, and this will probably affect Mr. Crane's decision. Senator Hanna will remain in the chairmanship if possible, until the Republican national convention meets. By that time Mr. Crane will have been selected as the successor of Ambassador Meyer, who is the Massachusetts member of the Republican national committee. If Senator Hanna should feel that he would like to retire in December, when the Republican national committee will meet here to select the time and place, and issue the call for the national convention, Gov. Crane can be chosen chairman then.

Lewis A. Coolidge, a Massachusetts newspaper man, and protege of Senator Lodge, as well as a classmate of President Roosevelt at Harvard, is slated to become secretary of the Republican national committee when that body meets in Washington, in December. This information comes from a high source, and means the retirement of Perry Heath of Utah, formerly assistant postmaster-general, who has been secretary of the committee since 1896. Heath's name has been connected with the scandals in the post-office department, and the Bristow report, now in the hands of the president, is said to deal unsparingly with his administration of office of first assistant.

Postmaster-general Payne, who is vice-chairman of the Republican national committee, may retire after the next national Republican convention, unless his health improves. No one has yet been suggested as his successor in case he should retire.

JUDGE FORSAITH

Will Not Issue Warrant For Jennings

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 28—For the time being, anyway, the famous Jennings-O'Connell political case, which grew out of the recent filing of nomination papers with the democratic city committee, is ended by the refusal of Judge Forsaith of the municipal court to grant a warrant for the arrest of Malachi Jennings.

Unless the times on the papers are changed by Secy. Jennings there is every likelihood of the case again coming into court after the papers are filed with the election commissioners. That is the way the matter stands now.

Horace G. Allen in the opening of the case as counsel for Secretary Jennings contended that the present was not the time to make application for a warrant anyway, as the plaintiff should wait until the papers had been filed with the election commissioners.

Ex-Judge Henry S. Dewey, counsel for Joseph F. O'Connell, contended that the placing of the papers within the inclosure in the democratic city committee rooms was a proper filing of them, no matter whether they had been handed to the secretary or thrown into that space. The actual presence of the secretary at the time was immaterial to the filing of the papers, within the meaning of the law.

Judge Forsaith said that if he were sitting with the election commissioners his decision might be that Fred P. O'Connell had been the first to file papers, after those of ward 16, that Sec'y Jennings might have been neglectful and might not have done perhaps just what he should have in the case.

"The question came as to whether or not it was his duty to stop receiving papers over the rail and to stoop and pick from the floor those which O'Connell had thrown over the rail and mark the time of their receipt upon them.

"There was no question as to the result of his negligence to do so, and the question is as to what was in his mind at the time. I feel he made a mistake and neglected his duty, but I am not passing on the filing of the papers.

"I am to pass on the question of wilful neglect, and whether or not he should be placed on trial on a criminal charge. I have thought of the matter for several days and have given the case every consideration; having some experience in sitting with the election commissioners I feel I have some knowledge of how things are done. After hearing the evidence I cannot and would not find him guilty of wilful neglect."

The court then formally declined to grant a warrant in the case.

HEINZE'S DENIAL

SAYS THERE IS NO TRUTH TO LAWSON'S CLAIMS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 28.—F. Augustus Heinze when asked by The Associated Press, early today, what he had to say in reply to the offer of Thomas Lawson looking to a settlement between him (Heinze) and the Amalgamated Copper company, in which Mr. Lawson proposed that an arbitration board arbitrate the price offered by Mr. Lawson for Heinze's Butte holdings and the price asked by Mr. Heinze and the giving as a commission the sum of $250,000 to the Butte miners' union to secure the arbitration as proposed by Mr. Lawson, said:

"The people of Boston and the stock exchange and in New York know Thomas W. Lawson so well that it is hardly necessary for their benefit to characterize his statements. The dispatch which I have just received in which he states that I demand $7,000,000 for all of my property in Butte is entirely without any foundation in fact.

"I would not for an instant consider any communication of a business character seriously from him. And as I never have in the past mentioned any figure at which I would sell my interests in Butte and have a number of times refused twice what he says in his message I demanded of him, it is unnecessary to say anything further."

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CHARGES MADE

AGAINST ASSOCIATION OF EMPLOYING STONE CUTTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—In a statement to the public issued by the firm of William Bradley & Son, contracting stone cutters, in Brooklyn, it is alleged that their employes, about 100 in number, have been ordered on strike at the instigation of an association of employing stone cutters which has formed an alliance with labor unions connected with the trade in Greater New York.

The firm charges specifically that members of the association regularly add ten per cent. to all bids for stone work and after averaging bids the association's officers apportion the contracts; that this added ten per cent. amounts annually to about $600,000, which is divided with the unions, the latter receiving about $60,000, the balance going to the association.

The president of the corporation, E. F. Giberson, threatens to appeal to the courts if his men do not return to work. In his statement, Giberson alleges that the unions were taken into the plan in order to force all the employers to become members of the association and that the walking delegates agreed to harrass employers who refused to sign.

PLENTY OF SNOW.

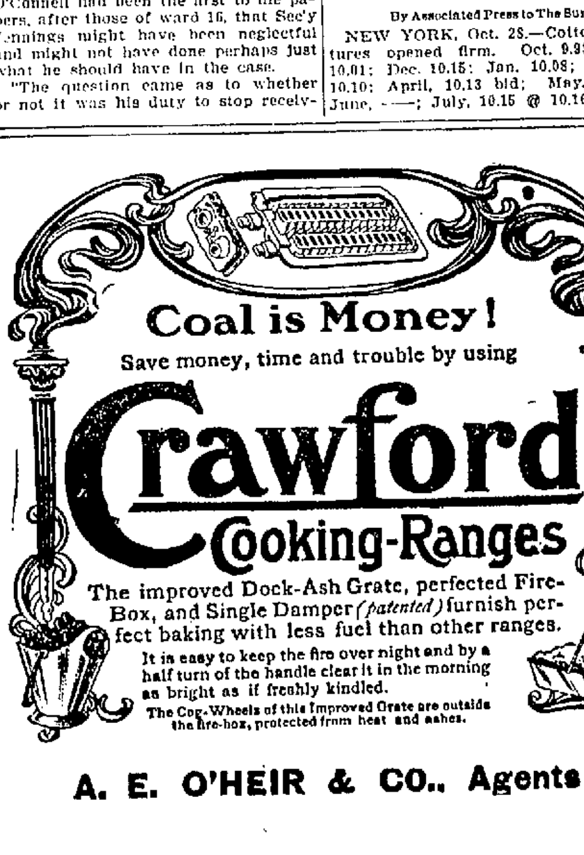
By Associated Press to The Sun

WINSTED, Conn., Oct. 28.—People in northwestern Connecticut awoke today to find the ground covered with snow to the depth of nearly an inch. The snow disappeared later.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Cotton: Futures opened firm. Oct. 9.98; Nov. 10.01; Dec. 10.15; Jan. 10.08; March, 10.10; April, 10.13 bid; May, 10.10; June, ——; July, 10.15 @ 10.16.



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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

FUNERAL NOTICES

FUNERAL NOTICE—At North Billerica, Oct. 27, Joseph D. Gould, aged 68 years. Services Friday, Oct. 30, at 8.15 p. m. Friends invited. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers.

WANTED

WANTED—Two large gas radiators; new or second hand. Inquire S. G. C., 27 State street.

FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS—We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

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WANTED—At once, girl to do housework. Apply Weston house, 200 Appleton street.

WANTED—Good reliable man to work on farm. Apply J. W. Flemings, North Tewksbury, Mass.

WANTED—Elderly woman to take care of two children; must be able to go home evenings. Call 1 rear 34 Coburn street.

CARPENTERS WANTED at once. Apply A. F. Rabeour, corner West 4th and Bridge streets.

WOMEN WANTED to sell a necessity to mothers; $12 a week clear. Dept. M., Box 78, Philadelphia.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

DRESSMAKER WANTED; apply at once. J. A. Montplaisir, room 7, Old City hall building.

WANTED—Old lady to do housework and take care of child. Rear 124 High street.

WANTED—Cook for restaurant. Apply 44 Bridge street.

WANTED—A young girl to help around a house; can go home nights. Address G., this office.

WANTED—Table girl at 98 John street.

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WANTED—A Nova Scotia housemaid in family of two; no other nationality need apply. At 539 Westford street.

WANTED—Good kitchen girl at 730 Lawrence street. Call from 2 to 4 o'clock.

WANTED—A woman to keep house for a working family. Apply at the Sun office.

WANTED—Carriage painters at Goyette's, 296 Thorndike street.

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TO LET—Just what you want; front room, furnished, steam heat, bath. 26 West 6th street.

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TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 8 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $8, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 5 rooms, $4.50. Beside Northern depot, 8 rooms, $3, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 5 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $6.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A ring between Kinsman and Whipple streets. Finder please return to 13 Kinsman street and receive reward.

LOST—Beaded side bag containing sum of money and other articles between Merrimack square and post office. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—Monday night on Merrimack street, a Boston bag containing small sum of money. Finder will please return same to salesman No. 9 at Merrimack Clothing Co. and receive reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, monogram on case, somewhere between Durant and John streets. Reward for return to 117 Durant street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—Pair of glass-cut rosary beads Sunday between St. Joseph's church and Merrimack square. Return to 739 Aiken street. E. S. Demarias.

LOST—$10 bill either on Lawrence street car or on Lawrence street. Reward for return to Sun office.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

LOST—Lady's black silk belt with fancy colored metal buckle, on Merrimack or East Merrimack street. Suitable reward at The Sun office.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

The Socialist bugaboo will vanish about election day. There is no coal famine this year.

Every business man in the city will sympathize with Mr. Shattuck in his business reverses.

According to the rules of the local division of the street railway there is no excuse for a rear end collision.

J. L. Chalifoux is booming Olney for the presidency in the south. He has made a good selection. Olney is the ablest man yet mentioned for the office.

The committee on public baths have inspected some good models in Boston, but as we learned years ago they are too expensive to be copied by the city of Lowell.

It is a commentary upon the state police regime in Boston that one policeman is held for the grand jury on the charge of murder and another on the charge of assault and attempted robbery.

The Boot and Shoe Workers' union of Lynn, backed by the American Federation of Labor, is in deadly conflict with the Knights of Labor of that city. The enemies of organized labor can afford to look on with equanimity.

A Boston paper seems to express a degree of skepticism in announcing that a certain gentleman of that city has lived to the age of 81 years without using liquor of any kind. The old "soaks" believe such a thing impossible.

The president will again endeavor to force the ratification of the Cuban reciprocity treaty at the extra session of congress to assemble next month. While banks are almost daily going to the wall, the country will expect congress to take some action to restore stability and relieve the money stringency that seems to be causing so much trouble in financial circles.

It remained for a Connecticut lawyer to attack Mr. Bryan's character and attribute to him selfish motives in connection with the probate of a will in which Mr. Bryan was beneficiary and executor. Mr. Bryan, however, stands above fear and above reproach. There is no more noble character in public life in this country today.

Is it not a bit queer with Burchard, yet unforgotten that so many clergymen as soon as they enter a political campaign resort to the tricks of alliteration. In New York, Rev. Dr. McArthur denounces Tammany as "organized greed, graft and grog," while Rev. Dr. Lorimer designates it a combination of loot, lust and lawlessness, all of which affects Tammany about as much as water thrown upon a duck's back.

There need be no particular dread from the location of powder magazines at the proposed site in Billerica if they are constructed on the right plan, if they are put under ground and properly protected. The location of the magazines will injure the surrounding property for building purposes as after the experience at Riverside Park nobody for the next fifty years will want to reside close to such a magazine.

THE GAYETY OF AGED SENATORS.

It is now the fashion for aged senators at Washington to have young wives. Platt at 71 married a widow of forty and left a young lady to sue for breach of promise. Depew, not quite so old, took to himself a young wife, and now Senator Stewart at 76 elopes with a charming widow. There seems to be no scarcity of widows ready to sacrifice themselves in this way where the senator has succeeded in accumulating enough to make it an object to the ambitious young woman.

A PROFITABLE COMPETITION.

A unique competition was brought to a close at the annual meeting of the Village Improvement society of Billerica Monday night. The Talbot mills had offered a variety of prizes for the best kept premises, vines, window and porch boxes, flower gardens, and vegetable gardens. The competition has resulted in the beautification of the houses, premises and gardens not only of the competitors but of many others who though not wishing to bother with the competition, did show a determination not to be outdone by their neighbors in the various improvements mentioned. This is but one of many praiseworthy improvements inaugurated by the Talbot company. They have the interests of the town sincerely at heart. What a different state of affairs would prevail here in Lowell if the owners of our mills lived here and manifested such a keen interest in our city as the Talbot family shows for Billerica!

GASTON FOR REDUCED EXPENDITURES.

Colonel Gaston stands for a reduction of the expensive commissions which have contributed so largely to the extravagance in state expenditures in recent years. He points out very clearly and forcibly how each commission is pulling for more money for its special department and that in this way the aggregate expenditure is driven to excess. To lessen the evil he would consolidate several commissions and thus cut down the salary list and office expenses. Gov. Crane accomplished considerable in this direction but Governor Bates has shown no business capacity sufficient to cope with such important business. His lack of business sagacity was shown in his transactions with Holden and in his appointment of Emmons as police commissioner.

CHANGE OF ADMINISTRATION NEEDED.

Campaign orators may turn the issues over and over, they may twist and distort and chop them up but they cannot put them more plainly before the people than did Richard Olney in his letter to the Massachusetts club when he pointed out the evils that inevitably result from the unbroken tenure of office of one political party for a long number of years. The truth of that is shown by the rottenness of the postoffice department and of the similar condition of the interior department where land grafting has become a fine art. In the state governments the same principle holds goods. Its force is demonstrated in Pennsylvania and in our own state. The republicans have forced up expenses of all kinds and forced grafters into lucrative positions until the taxpayers throughout the state are complaining of the burden. The annual interest bill of $2,800,000 is too much for the state of Massachusetts.

The republicans have been so long in office that they have become reckless and corrupt. It is time to have a change. Give the democrats a chance.

SEEN AND HEARD

The newspaper cuts of Ezekiel M. Ezekiel, democratic candidate for secretary of state, make him look like Major Allen, the milk inspector.

Rev. John B. Delaney, the Lowell boy who has become prominently identified with the Catholic church of New Hampshire, has won new laurels by securing for graduates of the parochial schools admission to the high school without examination. Lowell still holds to the examination.

The North Andover assessors have announced the tax-rate as $14.50 per thousand, which is an increase of $2 per thousand over last year. The value of real estate is $3,176,670 and of personal estate $1,634,610. The number of polls is 1264.

Greenleaf C. Brock, the Centralville druggist, who is treasurer of the Middlesex chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, read an essay at the last meeting of Suffolk chapter in Boston on "John Hancock."

Rev. Edwin Smith of Ballardvale, who was buried yesterday in that town, was the father of Rev. Edwin R. Smith of Farmington, Me., who is about to assume the pastorate of the Pawtucket church, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett of this city announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hattie Belle to Mr. Thomas Adams Remington of Boston. Mr. Barrett is the well-known painter and paper-hanger.

"A mothers' meeting" was held in Boston last week, and the mothers listened to a talk on "A Tramp Abroad," had a tea and indulged in gossip—all of which must have been very useful to the mothers. But too many "tramps abroad" are inimical to home duties, yet perhaps tea and gossip are really essential.

Strange rules are in vogue in Derby, Conn. It costs ten cents to have the contents of a garbage can emptied and carted off. The milk men have a novel method of insuring pay for their milk. Checks are sold to their customers at five cents each and one of these checks must be attached to the milk bottle or can every evening upon retiring, for if there is no check with the milk bottle or can, it is a case of "no checkie, no milkie."

Department stores have troubles of their own.

"I want to get a dog collar," said the customer.

"Yes, sir," replied the clerk, who had recently been transferred from the haberdashery department. "What size shirt do you wear?"

The late Mary P. Ropes of Salem, who left thousands of dollars to colleges and other semi-public institutions, was a relative of the late ex-Mayor Dimon.

Says a local merchant: "The Sun is doing good work in its crusade against fast automobile riding. Some of the auto drivers act as if they owned the road exclusively, and any movement to curtail their autocratic ways deserves encouragement. The fast ones are usually non-residents.

Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of the United States, says the stock of gold presents an interesting and important problem. No doubt of it, and the most interesting and important is how to get hold of a portion of the pile.

DR. HALE'S RULES OF LIFE.

Rev. Dr. Edward E. Hale, the oldest living pupil of Boston schools, addressed the pupils of a grammar school in that city, last week, and being asked what his working rules of life were, replied: "Live in the open air all you can; touch elbows; every day speak to your superiors."

EVENING SCHOOLS CRITICIZED.

Observers of the methods employed in the night schools declare that a foreigner can learn and adapt himself to the English language much quicker when taught by teachers that understand their native language; that the methods pursued in the night schools are only applicable to the teaching of children, and are entirely out of scope and inadequate in teaching men and women.

THE TYNGSBORO ROUTE.

The people of Nashua fear that the Boston & Northern road will not connect with the Tyngsboro line this year, as expected. On Dec. 31st next, the franchise runs out, and officials of the company will not state whether or not the road will be built. "This road," says a Nashua man, "would make an ideal electric line to Lowell."

A VERY PECULIAR CALF.

A freak calf, a rare monstrosity, was born to a fine milch cow, that deserved a better fate, at the Meadow Hill farm, in Pelham, a few days ago. The calf was a series of misplaced hoofs, legs, tails and heads. You couldn't tell which was which and the fond mother couldn't throw any light on the subject. Despite the extreme oddness of her offspring she cared for it tenderly. The calf was killed in order that the cow might be saved. Its sojourn in this world was brief and as no special request, relative to the disposition of the body, was made, it was turned over to a physician who will stuff the corpse and send it to a museum. A great many persons viewed the calf, in death, and one woman pronounced it a "comedy of errors." It weighed about 75 pounds and had two perfectly formed heads. A leg with the usual hoof attachment projected from between the heads and at the other end of the body were two tails and an assortment of legs. The Pelhamites thought it a wonderful thing when one day an old resident walked into town with an odorless skunk but the freak calf has the odorless skunk beaten a mile or more.

HUNTINGTON HALL REMINISCENCE.

Who in Lowell recalls when the floor in Huntington hall sank and a catastrophe was narrowly averted? It was on the evening of Oct. 28, 1856. That great lawyer, Rufus Choate, a Whig all his life, decided to vote for Buchanan, and his one and only speech of the campaign was made in Lowell. Huntington hall was packed. Gen. Butler presided, and had hardly begun to make a preliminary address when a dull, heavy sound like a distant cannon was heard—the floor was yielding. The audience became frightened, but were assured of safety. Mr. Choate began and proceeded for nearly half an hour, when again the ominous sound was heard, and the floor was felt sinking as before. Mr. Choate paused, and the fears of the crowd were again quieted by Gen. Butler's assurance that he would go and ascertain the condition of things and report. He went and to his horror found that several of the rods by which the floor was sustained had drawn through the timbers, that the ceiling below in the depot was opening and that the slightest jar was likely to collapse the whole building. Comprehending the peril, Gen. Butler made his way to the platform, and calmly advised the audience that while there was no immediate danger, it would be best to quietly leave the hall. "This is the place of greatest danger," he said, "and I shall stand here till all have gone out." Not till all were safe did they comprehend how near to a catastrophe they had been, to which that of the Pemberton mill might have been a mercy.

STERN HELD

TO AWAIT ACTION OF GRAND JURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The preliminary hearing in the case of Leopold J. Stern of Baltimore, indicted for complicity in the postal frauds, was concluded in the police court yesterday and Stern was held in $500 bail to await the action of the grand jury which was furnished and he was released.

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SOME CYCLE NEWS

Rain Affected Racing During Past Season

AND BIG MOTORS INJURED THE TRACKS

Salt Lake's Success Arouses the West

While these large pacing machines used this year have proven safe and reliable, with not a serious accident since May 30 to their discredit, there is one argument against their continued use that cannot be refuted. They have played havoc with many tracks, and confined cycle racing to the Eastern New England district—that is, paced racing. They are too heavy for some tracks and too fast for others.

Some of the old time tracks, upon which records have been broken, have been entirely out of the question for the new pace. During the last month the old Baltimore track was condemned by the building inspectors. The fast Washington track is a thing to be avoided under the present racing conditions. Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Springfield have been abandoned this year, and Pittsburg, Dayton and Springfield (the two latter in Ohio) have been too far from the centre of activity of paced racing. This has confined racing back of pace to Boston, where it thrives and has its home. But in the Boston district many tracks have suffered through the big motors. Many surfaces must be rebuilt for next season, as the large 500-pound machines have thumped the very underpinning from under them and split surfaces into kindling wood. Today but one track thoroughly suitable for the big motors is available, and that track is Charles River Park.

Whether other tracks will be constructed remains to be seen.

Owing to the weather conditions this year most of the tracks lost money. Some were heavy losers, and few more than broke even. In June and August there were thirty-five rainy days. With such conditions existing, money making was entirely out of the question. The outlook, therefore, for track-building is not very bright.

During the past year three new tracks were constructed. While none made money, the outlook for at least two of these new tracks is promising. Charles River park and Lowell will be money-makers. The latter, although new, will have to be reconstructed, as the big motors have already weakened the supports, causing the track to sway badly while the big motors are going around.

In one city, however, cycle racing has proved an unqualified success. The Salt Lake City (Utah) track has again coined money. Salt Lake's success has resulted in a general feeling of confidence all through the west. This has resulted in applications being made for franchises for Denver, Pueblo and Ogden. These three cities, and Salt Lake City promise to form the nucleus of a prosperous western circuit which will draw largely from eastern territory next year, as it has done this year.

Track building and cycle racing in Salt Lake City was inaugurated four years ago, largely on bluff, which won. The Salt palace management was asked to build a track. They wanted some guarantee of attendance. Cycle enthusiasts easily secured thousands of signatures of people who promised to attend the races. The construction of the track followed, and apparently all who signed those papers did so with every intention of keeping the promise. Races were run once weekly, then twice, and finally thrice, yet the crowds came. Nor was the second year less successful and the third saw no clouding away in the interest. During the season just ended two meets weekly have been promoted with success. Salt Lake has seen good racing, and seen racing as advertised. The promoters have kept faith with the people.

MRS. RICHARDS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Harriet Alice Richards, state regent for Wyoming of the Daughters of the American revolution, and wife of the commissioner of the general land office, died here last night of heart trouble. She was 48 years old and left three daughters. She was a descendant of that branch of the Hunt family who served as Minutemen at Lexington, and assisted in building Concord, Mass.

REV. ROBERT HASKINS DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Oct. 28.—A special from Gardner says:

Word has been received from Coimpore, India, of the death there of Rev. Robert Haskins, a missionary of the Methodist church in India, who has labored in that field since 1868. He was widely known throughout the New England conference.

STEAMSHIP SAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 28.—A special from Beaufort, N. C., says:

"The steamship City of Everetts, from Pensacola, Fla., bound north, for which so much anxiety has been felt, has arrived at Cape Lookout light for harbor, with her machinery slightly damaged.

ANNUAL MEETING

All Probation Officers in Massachusetts

WILL MEET AT THE STATE HOUSE TODAY

Probation System is a Good Thing

All the probation officers in Massachusetts will meet at the state house today. The conference was called by the prison commissioners and a member of that body will preside at the meeting. The probation officers met last year for the first time. The object of the conference is to further the acquaintance of the officers and also to increase the benefit of the probation system by exchange of ideas and general discussion.

Probation Officer Slattery of this city will attend the conference and will undoubtedly carry with him a few good suggestions as his work during the three and one-half years that he has held the office has been most beneficial to all concerned.

Mr. Slattery has about 200 probationists under his care at the present time and his Saturday visitors number anywhere from 60 to 100. In reply to a Sun reporter's question yesterday, Mr. Slattery said that with very few exceptions the probationists report faithfully. This is particularly true in the case of small boys who have been before the court for larceny. Judge Hadley is disposed, instead of imposing a fine, to give the boys a chance with Mr. Slattery and the success of the judge's plan is evidenced by the fact that a juvenile probationist rarely finds his way back to the police court. To impose a fine would mean, in the majority of cases, embarrassment to parents and the probation officer, by keeping after the boys, not only influences them to avoid a repetition of former offences, but he also helps them in other ways.

The work of the probation officer, however, is not confined solely to the care of probationists. It is not generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that a great many complaints that are entered are never aired in court. If the complaint has to do with a disruption in a family, Judge Hadley instructs the probation officer to seek out the parties that are at auger ends and Mr. Slattery is generally very successful in bringing about a reconciliation, thus sparing parties the humility and disgrace of a police court trial, that they, in their angry moments, would precipitate. The probation system is a good thing in many ways.

COLLIERIES CLOSED

ELEVEN PLANTS DECIDED TO SHUT DOWN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—The eleven collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company in the Shamokin district, employing about 7000 men and boys, shut down last night and will remain closed until the day after election. The remaining collieries of the Reading company, all the mines of the Lehigh Valley Coal company, the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and some of the operations of the other companies will close today for a week. More than 60,000 men and boys are affected by the shut down. The action of the companies in suspending operations is due to the fact that two holidays fall within the next week, Mitchell day (October 29), and election day.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The two last performances of Hal Reid's "A Homespun Heart," will be given this afternoon and evening at the Academy of Music. This comedy drama has proved to be a grand drawing card and is well worth the patronage of the theatre-going people of this city.

Friday night Al. Reeves and his big burlesque company will open a two nights' engagement with a matinee Saturday afternoon. The company is playing at Ottawa tonight and will be unable to reach Lowell until Friday evening. The company is a good one and some marvellous vaudeville acts are included. Two new burlettas will be introduced entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon," and "A Merry Go Round." The banjo king, Al. Reeves, is equipped with all new songs and funny sayings which have been written expressly for him. Other turns include Andy Lewis and company in "The Tout," the Tossing Austens, Devine and Williams, the marvellous Van der Koor, the Newell sisters, Katherine Dahl and Fannie Thatcher.

COMEDY BILL AT THE CASTO.

The current program at the Casto is a most pleasing one and the large audiences manifest their appreciation by hearty applause throughout the performance. The act of Ferrar, Cole & Company, entitled "His College Chum," is a very clever idea, and the lines are exceedingly witty and the situations most laughable. Frank Fogerty is an Irish comedian of the highest order and his stories are entirely new. The Marvelous Merrills in their astounding bicycle act, Rossire and Taft in a side-splitting comedy acrobatic act, and the Big Three Minstrels are only a part of an excellent program.

WON BY JENKINS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 28—The wrestling match for the championship of the world, which took place at Old City Hall, this city, last night, between Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, O., and Dan McLeod of Canada, was won by Jenkins, he taking first and third falls.

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IN STRAIGHT HEATS

Argue Took 2.30 Pace at Nashua

PLENTY OF EXCITEMENT IN 2.25 TROT

Two Races Put Over Until Today

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 28.—The closing meet of the New England half mile circuit opened yesterday under conditions favorable neither to the horses nor to the large crowd that had been attracted to the track. Owing to the large number of entries in the 2.25 trot only one race of the three on the card was concluded. The large field in this trot furnished several hair-raising accidents which served in a way to counteract the chill in the atmosphere. Argue, though starting in a race for the first time was picked for the 2.30 pace and vindicated the judgment of the talent by winning in straight heats. Pearl Wilkes gave Argue a good battle in the third heat.

Pearl T. was a favorite in the 2.16 pace. Billy Hurd, however, took the first two heats handily. Pearl T. warmed up in the third and won the heat in a close finish. The race then went over until today. Colburn was scoring Murth in the first heat of the 2.25 trot when the sulky broke down and he was thrown. This heat went to Baron Patch, the favorite. In the second heat Essex Maid reared as the word was given and threw Driver O'Neill. This accident frightened Claret who whirled about, upset her sulky, throwing the driver to the ground, and then started around the track the wrong way. Baron Patch led the horses remaining in the race up to the last turn. As he turned into the stretch his sulky lost a wheel and he was distanced. The judges, however, awarded him third place. The heat went to Yates. Baron Patch took the next heat after which the race went over.

Summary:

2.30 PACE.

Purse $300.

Argue, bg, by Argood Wilkes (Cox)	1	1	1
Pearl Wilkes, bm (Martin)	3	3	2
Billy Bailey, bg (Keevitch)	2	4	4
Ira Brandt, Jr., bg (Rothbun)	6	2	6
Needles, bg (Reynolds)	4	5	3
Grey Bess, gm (Everett)	5	6	5
Walter C., bg (Morse)	7	dis	

Time, 2.25¼, 2.20¾, 2.24¼.

2.16 PACE. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Billy Hurd, blk g (Gordon)	1	1	2
Pearl T., bm (Sunderlin)	5	3	1
Wilton R., bm (Lewis)	4	2	3
Miss Ormand, blk m (Watt)	2	5	4
Fat L., ch g (Payne)	3	4	6
Star Boy, bg (Bowser)	6	6	5

Time, 2.20, 2.19¾, 2.19¼.

2.25 TROT. (Unfinished.)

Purse $300.

Baron Patch, bs, by Baron Posey (Yapp)	1	18	1
Yates, bm (Ralston)	2	1	6
Bert S., bg (Burnham)	6	2	3
Murch, bm (Colburn and Payne)	9	3	2
Essex Maid, ch m (O'Neill)	3	11	13
Lassie, blk m (Kingsley)	5	5	4
George H., bg (Cook)	10	4	6
Daly Moore, blk m (Cox)	4	6	11
Little Jack, bg (Yates)	8	10	7
Nicko, blk h (Pickles)	7	12	8
Rob Roy, bg (Edwards)	13	7	12
Holden, bm (Young)	12	8	9
Claret, bm (Garrison)	11	9	10

Time, 2.24¼, 2.24½, 2.23¼.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28—The condition of William L. Elkins, the financier last night was considered critical. Hope for his recovery has about been abandoned by the family.

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HARVEST FESTIVAL

By the C. Y. M. L. at Huntington Hall

JOSEPH GILLEY, Floor Director

The Event One of Great Pleasure for all Who Attended—List of the Tables and Committees

A harvest festival was held at Huntington hall last night under the auspices of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's parish and like other affairs conducted by this popular organization it proved to be a grand success both from a social and a financial standpoint. It was one of the leading social functions of the season and over 1500 people were in attendance during the evening. Of this number the majority remained to listen to the strains of the waltz home shortly after midnight. It was a continual round of pleasure from the opening event, and without doubt it was an occasion long to be remembered by those who attended.

During the early part of the evening a concert was given by the Bingville band, an organization composed of some of the best musicians in the city, who appeared in the garb of a country organization. So perfect were the disguises of the different members of the band that it is doubtful if one was recognized. The band responded to many encores until shortly after nine o'clock when dancing was started and continued until shortly after midnight.

There were four prettily decorated tables in the corners of the hall, the seasons of the year being represented. The Spring table was decorated with green, while green and white were the prevailing colors of the Summer table. Yellow, red and white dominated on the Autumn table while snowy white represented the Winter table. These tables were attended by bevies of hustling young ladies, and all of the tables did a rushing business.

The officers and assistants on the different tables were as follows:

Winter Table—Henry F. Doran, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Maloney, matron; Dennis J. Devine, assistant chairman; Charles Walsh, secretary; Timothy Rohan, treasurer; and the following assistants: Mrs. Henry F. Doran, Mrs. Dennis J. Devine, Mrs. Edward J. Carroll, Mrs. William Tighe, Mrs. James E. Henry, Mrs. D. S. O'Brien, Mrs. John F. Saunders, Mrs. Jas. H. Kelley, Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, Miss Catherine Rohan, Miss Annie Tighe, Miss Mary Rohan, Miss Frances Tighe, Miss Helen Leary, Miss Maggie Kelley, Miss Mamie Quinn, Miss Margaret Garrigan, Miss Nellie Counihan, Miss Hattie Garrigan, Miss Lizzie Murphy, Miss Mary Crowe, Miss Mamie Burns, Miss Mary Maguire, Miss Mamie Powers, Miss Tessie Slattery, Miss Agnes Sherry, Miss Lizzie Sullivan, Miss Katie Maguire, Miss Susie V. Ball, Miss Lizzie Quigley, Miss Mary McQuade, Miss Annie Courtney, Miss Mabel Stack, Miss Mary R. Marren, Miss Katie Keefe, Miss Maggie Marren, Miss Lizzie Doran, Miss Alice Tighe, Miss Nora Murphy, Miss Agnes Tighe, Miss Etta Tighe, John Kelly, Joseph Keyes, Connie Donovan, John Fitzgerald, James Kelty, Edward J. Carroll, Humphrey Coffey, James Coughlin, John J. Hanlon, Thomas Maloney, Thomas Lee, Daniel S. O'Brien, John F. Leary, James T. Henry, John F. Murphy, John J. Flynn, William Murphy, Miss Mamie Stack, Miss Nora Woods, Miss Josie Rohan, Miss Lulu Slattery, John Maher.

Spring Table—John H. Hogan, chairman; William M. Barry, treasurer; John Keegan, secretary; Mrs. John J. McNabb, matron; and the following assistants: Mrs. Smith J. Adams, Mrs. Annie Coffey, Mrs. W. J. Maguire, Mrs. Jennie Bedicker, Mrs. Laverty, Mrs. F. A. M. Tobin, Misses Katie Murphy, Annie Mavolte, May McOsker, May Maguire, Kittie Holland Mary V. Allen, Lizzie Connell, Louise Guiney, Mamie Mahon, Mary Rogers, Mary A. Murphy, Nellie O'Brien, Mary Howe, Gertie Cox, May Duffy, Sadie Higgins, Mamie McAdams, Julia Sullivan, Annie Maguire, Stasia Murray, Alice Dean, Julia Dean, Anna Doyle, Julia Allen, Jennie McLaughlin, May Carr, Alice Mulligan, Annie Gill, Katie Reardon, Katie Gill, Mamie Gallagher, Maggie Reardon, Annie Donohue, Alice Adie, Margaret Ward, Helen Leahey, Margaret Spellman, Josephine Dunlavey, Theresa Reilly, Nellie Hart, Lilla Welsh, May Flynn, Lillian Hebert, Gertie Smith, Nellie Hayes, Sadie Orr, Katie Lyons, Lizzie McVey, Lucy Jones, May F. Lynch, Jennie R. Joyce, Anna T. Coffey, Martha Curtin, May Cummings, Mahon, Julia Tabor, Josie Boyle, Cora McGovern, Maggie Myron, Mary Keefe, Nellie O'Neil, Abbie Murphy, Loretta Mirault, Lillian O'Brien, Gertrude Marley, Mary Govern.

Spring Table—Misses Mary Ward, Lillian Roy, Jennie Maguire, Minnie McCary, Marietta McGrath, Laura Lassard, Margaret McGlynn, Loretta Ward, Katherine O'Brien, Genevieve Smith, Josephine Ward, Agnes McAloon, Florence Crotty, Esther McOsker, Alice Riley, Anna Garvey, Helen Wholey, Alice Fancuf, Mary Callahan, Lulu Hart, May Cassidy, Lydia Cushing, Kittie Sullivan, Annie Rooney, Mabel McCarthy, Alice McNabb, Annie McGuane, Sadie Hart, Lena Smith, Kittie Dean, Mamie Kelly, Anna Tighe, Katie Tighe, Maggie Becky, Rev. Timothy Callahan, William Scannell, John Holloran, Herbert Daly, Philip Rogers, John Doyle, John Kennedy, John H. Murphy, Joseph Tobin, Chas. Doyle, Thomas Rafter, Eugene Dean, Edward Donohoe, Thomas Hanifin, Maurice H. Powers, Thomas Mahoney, Thomas Mulligan, Frank Sullivan, John Broadley, Patrick Murphy, John McCarthy, Alfred McDermott, John Adams, John Cadden, Joseph Cronan, Smith J. Adams, Patrick Curran, Louis Coffel, Thomas Wallace, Albert Lavo, Edward McCarthy, Frank McNabb, James Doyle, Michael Adams, Alexander Cryan, John J. McNabb, William Wholey, Charles Maloney, Cornelius Brosnan, Daniel Quinn, John Minehan, Edward Turner, Miss Etta Callahan.

Summer Table—John J. O'Connor, chairman; Rev. John J. McHugh assistant; William H. Giblin, secretary; T. Harry Flaherty, treasurer; Mrs. Katherine Gilligan, matron, and the following assistants: Mrs. John J. O'Connor, Mrs. Josephine Body Misses Belle McCarthy, May Gilligan Katherine Mealy, Gertrude Lyons, Julia Wholly, Margaret Hennessey, Margaret Riley, Louise Flaherty, Annie Redican, Rose Lee, Katie Kane, Norah Farrell, Mary E. Cronin, Etta Keefe, Josie Keefe, Lizzie Keefe, Etta Myers, Etta Reed, Margaret Shalvey, Alice Bagley, Nellie Sullivan, Kittie McKeon, Louise M. Andrews, Grace Mealy, Ethel E. Cratin, Maude Shalvey, Katherine Teague, Anna Barrett, Jennie Nadeau, Messrs. Joe. Giley, Michael Fleming, Jas. O'Rourke, John Killeen, Edward Donoghue, Frederick Renn, Eugene Queenan, Misses Rose Gosselin, Maude Sheehan, Maggie McLaughlin, Peter Manimon, Warren Reardon, Walter Flynn.

J. H. MURPHY, General Manager.

Autumn Table— William J. Enright, chairman; John Minahan, assistant; Frederick Martin, secretary; John J. Carroll, treasurer; Miss Belle Donohue, matron; Misses Mary Doyle, Katie Donoghue, Maud Brown, Annie O'Donohue, assistant matrons, and the following assistants: Misses Katie Sullivan, Et'a Flynn, Sadie Healey, Zephrine Pollard, Lena Sturgeon, Jennie Dunley, Bessie McAloon, Marguerite Higgins, Nellie Lenhey, Donnelly, Downs, Delaney, Sadie Malone, May Morrissey, O'Keefe, Sadie O'Brien, Lena Comerford, Madeline Leary, Kane, Katie O'Neil, Amelia Lorcombe, Anna Cunningham, Della Nestor, Rose Hanel, Emma Lynch, Elizabeth Delaney, Kittie Donohue, May Kelley, Alice Walsh, Marie McLaughlin Mollie O'Brien, Etta Pollard, Maggie Myers, May Gill, Nora Fancy, Nellie Meehan, Belle Chisholm, Messrs. S. Konsky, C. Sheehan, George Lynch, William Scanlon, Daniel Gleason, Thomas McGrath, Peter Renn, William Burke, John Lynch, John Kelley, John Riley, Albert Patterson, Timothy Quinn, Terrence Quinn, Joseph Farmer, Henry Reardon, Daniel Leahy, James Brown, William Sullivan, James McLaughlin.

The success of the party was due to the zealous and untiring work of the following officers:—

John H. Murphy, general manager; John M. Hogan, assistant; Joseph F. Gilley, floor director; George F. Lynch, assistant; Joseph L. Cronin, chief aid; and the following aids: John J. Keegan, William A. Barry, Herbert Daly, William Wholey, John J. Doyle, John C. Martin, Cornelius Cronan, William T. Meloy, William Enright, Maurice H. Powers, William H. Giblin, Thomas J. Wallace, J. Harry Flaherty, James Rourke, Thomas B. Rafter, Edward A. Donoghue, Eugene Queenan, John J. Walker, Thomas Donahoe, John J. Carroll, John J. Lonergan, Chas. E. Walsh, Jeremiah A. Daly, Cornelius Brosnahan.

The reception committee was as follows:—

John H. Murphy, chairman; William Callaghan, Dr. P. E. Sullivan, Smith J. Adams, Daniel S. O'Brien, Simon Reilly, John J. McNabb, John J. Killeen, Daniel Lahey, Daniel Quinn, Thomas Maloney, James Hennessey, Henry F. Doran, John F. Bradley, Dennis J. Devine, John Kennedy, Dr. James Gaffney, Wm. Scannell, Michael O'Donoghue, John Leary, Thomas Lee, John Flynn, Charles Doyle, John Monahan, Jos. Keyes, Dr. T. B. Smith, Frederick Martin, Edward J. Carroll, Timothy Rohan, James T. Henry, Humphrey Coffey, Thomas J. Enright, Esq., Frank McCarty, Dr. James E. Leary, John P. Corley, James J. Doyle, John J. Donovan, Thomas A. Mulligan, F. A. M. Tobin, Harry Timmons, Cornelius Donovan, Peter H. Savage, John J. Hanlon, Robert J. Crowley, James Rafter, Dennis J. Ring, Thomas O'Donnell, Frank E. McNabb, Richard Donahoe, John J. Sullivan, Edward J. O'Donnell, Jas. E. O'Donnell, Esq., John Maher, John J. O'Connor.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty October wedding was solemnized last evening at the Kirk street church. The contracting parties were Mr. Frank Hancock Putnam, son of Hon. George E. Putnam and Miss Ethel Lyman, daughter of Edward Lyman.

Rev. George E. Martin, D. D., tied the nuptial knot. The ceremony was witnessed by a large and fashionable gathering and was preceded by organ selections by the church organist, Mr. Arthur Spalding.

The bride wore a gown of crepe de chine, with tulle veil and carried lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Marion Arnold of Providence and Miss Katrine Jeanette of Lowell. They wore dresses of white silk muslin with short tulle veils and carried pink roses. The bride was given away, at the altar by her father. Miss Charlotte Cheney of Lowell, was the maid of honor. She wore pink chiffon over pink silk and carried carnations of a like shade. Mr. Donald McKenzie was the best man.

Mr. Arthur Lyman of New Haven, a brother of the bride, was chief usher, and his aids were Messrs. Charles Munyan, of Providence, R. I., William Ellis of Boston, James Leighton and Edward Larson of Lowell. The groom's gift to his bride was a diamond ring and the gifts of friends were numerous and elegant.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam entertained the bridal party early directly after the ceremony. The church decorations of autumn foliage, palms and white chrysanthemums were very beautiful. The house was also prettily decorated, green and white being the prevailing tones.

The American orchestra furnished music at the house, 431 Wilder street. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam left the city by a late evening train, and will receive their friends January 6, 1904, at 214 Stevens street.

LEVIN—COHEN.

Mr. Samuel Levin of Lawrence and Miss Gertrude Cohen of this city were married last evening at Highland hall. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H Glaser of the New Jerusalem Synagogue of Boston.

The groom was attended by Frank Labell of Lawrence and Benjamin Cohen of Boston. The bride was unattended. She wore white silk with white lace trimmings. After the ceremony the young couple received the congratulations of their numerous friends. Later the grand march was started, Mr. and Mrs. Levin leading.

A wedding supper was served. Music was furnished by Wyman's orchestra of Boston.

A number of friends were present from Lawrence, Boston Lynn, Haverhill, Salem, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

RYAN—McCORD.

Mr. Arnold J. Ryan and Miss Annie E. McCord, both of this city, were married yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. Martin of the Kirk street church.

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CONVICTED OF MURDER

JOHN KENNEDY WRECKED A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SLAUTON, Va., Oct. 28.—In the Augusta court here yesterday John Kennedy, alias Crawford, charged with wrecking a Norfolk and Western passenger train near Greenville, Va., last December, and with the murder of Engineer Bailey of Roanoke, who lost his life in the wreck, was convicted of murder in the first degree, the jury being out five minutes. Sentence will be closed at a later day in the term. Kennedy's accomplice, James Bailey, will be tried today and the trial of Mrs. Bailey, the aged mother of James Bailey, whom Kennedy claims planned the wreck, will occur next.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was the usual large attendance of members at the meeting of the Elks at Elks' hall last evening. Much routine business was transacted. The committee on memorial services made a report of progress. The lodge members were favored with the presence of two members of the order who are playing at the Castle Theatre—Bros. J. M. Norcross and Frank Fogerty, also Walter J. Meakin, during the evening. Songs and recitations were given and much enjoyed. The Elks' quartet was present and their college songs were encored. Bro. D. D. Driscoll sang "America."

The Elks' night at Castle Theatre is on Friday night, October 30.

Lowell Council, Knights of Columbus, are preparing for a smoke talk to be held at the council rooms Wednesday, November 4. Congressman W. S. McNary of Boston will be orator of the evening. Hon. J. E. Drury will preside and Hon. P. J. Brady will be chairman of the reception committee. A musical program is being arranged and in addition to this, there will be a hand ball match between teams representing the Knights of Columbus and some other local organization.

Garfield Colony, U. O. P. F., held its regular meeting last evening. A short musical program followed the business session. This colony is to hold a series of whist parties, the first to be November 7.

The regular meeting of Cercle d'Youville, Companions of the Forest, was held last evening in old Odd Fellows' hall. In the absence of Chief Ranger M. F. Caron, Sub Chief Ranger Cordelia Guertin presided. Routine business was transacted, after which one new member was initiated and two new propositions were received.

The regular meeting of Oberlin lodge was held last night and a new candidate was initiated. A discussion took place relative to the arrangements which have been under way in preparation for the reception to the grand officers. A collation will be served and all of the lodges have been given an invitation to be present. The following committee on entertainment was appointed at last night's meeting. Amos Kendall, William F. Stewart, J. R. Peabody, G. O. Hubbard, C. E. Farrington and all of the past grands of the lodge.

The annual visitation of Puritan Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held last night in Odd Fellows' Temple in Middlesex street. The event was attended by many members of the order. Previous to the initiation of several new members a dinner was served in the hall on the top floor. Among the many out-of-town guests present were the following: Sister Annie F. Blodgett, P. M., of Orient Chapter, No. 31, the Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts; Deputy Grand Marshal, Sister Emma F. Goodell, also P. M., of Orient Chapter of South Framingham; William Alden Blossom, past patron of Kingston Chapter, No. 18, of Boston; and others from Winter Harbor, Me., Stoneham, Lawrence, Haverhill, Nashua, Boston, Medford, Chelsea, Reading, Wilmington.

Among the present officers of the chapter are Mrs. Inez J. Whiting, N. M.; Samuel W. Kilpatrick, W. P.; Mrs. Mary McDonald, A. M.; Mrs. S. W. Kilpatrick, C.; Mrs. M. Shirley, treasurer and Mr. Frank Gray, secretary; all of whom have done very good work during the past year.

The supper was in charge of Sister Helen J. Talbot.

SISTER MARY STANISLAUS

WELL KNOWN NUN PASSED AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 28.—Sister Mary Stanislaus, for over 53 years connected with the St. Francis Xavier order of the Providence diocese of the Roman Catholic church, died at the head house of the sisterhood here yesterday, aged about 70 years.

She was at one time a teacher in Woonsocket, after which she was superior in the houses at Pawtucket, Newport, Fall River and New Bedford. Sister Mary Stanislaus was formerly Miss Splain, and was a native of Binghampton, N. Y.

PATRICK FOILED

In His Attempt to Get the Rice Millions

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28—The court of appeals yesterday placed a final negative upon the attempts of Albert T. Patrick to obtain the vast fortune of the deceased millionaire, William M. Rice, for whose murder he was under sentence of death in Sing Sing prison.

The court yesterday handed down a decision affirming that of the lower courts which threw out as a transparent fraud the alleged will of Mr. Rice which Patrick urged as superseding that admitted to probate by Surrogate Fitzgerald.

The will of Mr. Rice, thus sustained, makes no mention of Patrick, the bulk of the great estate, estimated at four millions or more, being bequeathed to the proposed "William M. Rice Institute for the advancement of literature, science and art," of Houston, Texas.

The will presented and urged in this appeal by Patrick left comparatively small bequests to the Rice Institute, and the bulk of the estate to Patrick.

The next stage in the extraordinary case will be the argument of Patrick's appeal from the conviction of murder in the first degree and the consequent sentence of death. Should the court set aside the sentence, there are indictments for forgery of this will and perjury in connection therewith, which are yet untried.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

SWEPT OVER SEVERAL BLOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—20 houses, including stores and private residences, were destroyed last night in a fire that swept over two city blocks in Kings bridge, at the upper end of Manhattan Island.

The section swept by the fire was the business section of the old village of Kings Bridge, composed of detachable frame structures that burned readily. The Kings Bridge hotel formerly a famous road house, was destroyed, the proprietor and his family barely escaping with their lives. The total property damage was about $150,000.

NEW FRENCH CLUB.

A movement is on foot among French-American residents of Centreville to form a club among the young men in the locality and a meeting was held last night at the residence of Eli Delisle in Hildreth street. Arthur Belisle, a son of Jacques Holyert, and their friends, Ernest Mailly and Frank Monette are at the head of the movement. The club will be formed for social and sporting purposes and its charter members will number 30. It will be known as the Hildreth club.

The young men have rented a club house in Aiken avenue and the formal opening will take place Nov. 5, when the opening will be marked by a social card party.

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SEVEN ARE DEAD

Passenger Train Ran Into Work Train

By Associated Press to The Sun

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 28—Word reached this city last night that the second section of an east-bound overland passenger train had run into a work train at Palisade, Nev., on the Central Pacific, and that seven section men were killed and several passengers injured. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train were also injured.

JACK JOHNSON WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 28—Jack Johnson got the decision over McVey at the end of twenty rounds here last night.

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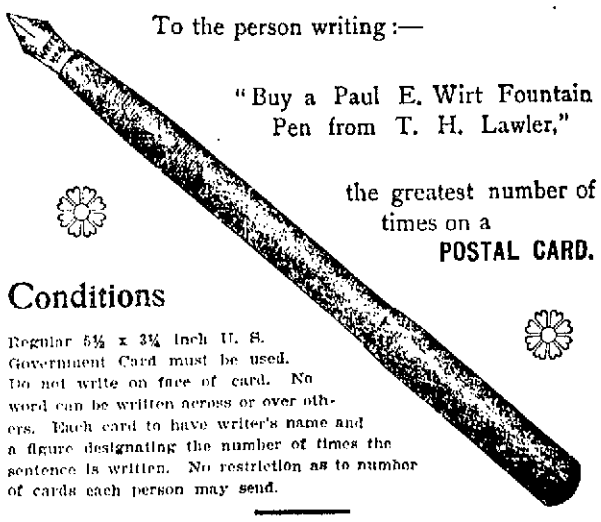

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KATE CLYDE

Defends the Brunette Woman From Her Long Time Calumniators---She Also Speaks of the Necessity of Putting the Best Foot Forward

DOES coloring affect the disposition? Are there certain blond and certain brunette characteristics? Well, why not? If a lack of certain matter in a certain spot in the brain produces eccentricity or loss of memory, why should not such a distinct and remarkable thing as coloring matter have effect?

There are certain characteristics which are possessed by nearly all brunettes and others which are possessed by blonds as a class. For instance, there never was a black haired woman who did not have the courage of her convictions, who did not think for herself and with obstinacy cling to her own conclusion, even though it were a wrong one, until she herself was convinced it was a wrong one. Now, I don't know whether this is admirable, but one thing is certain—any girl who can hold her own opinion or sustain a certain line of conduct in spite of the opinion of other people has within her the possibility of being original, and that is something rather rare and precious in womankind. Of course I don't say for one minute that brunettes are the only ones who are original, but this is true of them as a class—they are not easily led.

Admirers dangling at her heels.

Blonds Are Adaptable.

Blonds, on the other hand, are far more adaptable. They are naturally more gentle and therefore less averse to adopting other people's views and opinions. They learn easily and are more obedient to authority. A brunette may or may not learn easily, but one thing is sure—once an idea has entered her head she hangs on to it with a persistency which is sometimes awkward. This quality she carries even into her love affairs.

Study your history and you will see that the blond women, as a rule, were pleasure loving and luxurious; that they held court with their throngs of admirers dangling at their heels; that they smiled sweetly on some and sent others of whom they tired to death. But you will scarcely find one blond woman in all the pages who suffered for love, and none who struggled madly for it, who gave up all in life and even died for it, as did the black and red haired women.

An explosion of wrath.

The Vilified Brunette.

This may sound like a defense of brunettes. Well, yes, it is, for to the brunettes have been ascribed all sorts of fiendish characteristics, while the blonds have been idealized in saints' garb from the beginning of the world.

But here is the truth of the matter: The brunette is nearer in her nature to a man. She is anything in the world but narrow minded and petty. It is the blond who whines and nags; it is the brunette who silently endures until all of a sudden there is an explosion of wrath—and the deluge. It is hard to find an ungenerous brunette, but it is not at all hard to find countless selfish blonds. Luxury and comfort mean more to a blond woman than anything in this world, and nine times in ten she marries for material reasons and not for love. A blond will love one day and forget the next and love again on the third day, but a brunette never forgets either her love or her hate. When a brunette wants a thing she wants it and is going to have it even if she has to break through stone walls to reach it. A blond can be persuaded that she doesn't want it. The sins of the blond are petty; the sins of the brunette are never that.

The Brunette Commands.

Take two girls together, a blond and a brunette, and which one takes the leadership? The brunette every time, even if she is the younger. So let the dark haired girls be at least proud of their virtue of strength, which is admired alike in men and women.

Some women were discussing the other day what made certain girls popular and vice versa, and one of them observed very justly that one of the little things which make a girl unpopular is the thrusting of herself forward when she is a newcomer in a place. There are some girls so impatient to "get there" that they will not wait for advances from other people. And that is a big mistake. If you stand still in most cases it obliges the other person to make some move, but if you make all the moves yourself there is nothing left for the other to do but criticise them.

The Jealous Girl.

And, while we are on the subject of peculiar girls, did you ever notice this particular antic of the jealous one? When she sees a group of people talking she positively cannot keep away; she has to come up and see if they are planning or discussing something from which she is left. She hovers around like an unquiet spirit on the perpetual lookout for confidences which she does not share, and this is the way she gets snubbed:

Miss Jealous, seeing a man laughing with a group of young girls, feels she can stand it no longer. With a dexterous side swoop she is upon them, eyes alight and lips parted in an ingratiating smile. Silence immediately falls upon the group. She is a trifle disconcerted.

"I was looking for Miss Brown."

"Oh—er," she gushes. "I was looking for Miss Brown." Then she pauses, waiting for some one to resume the conversation.

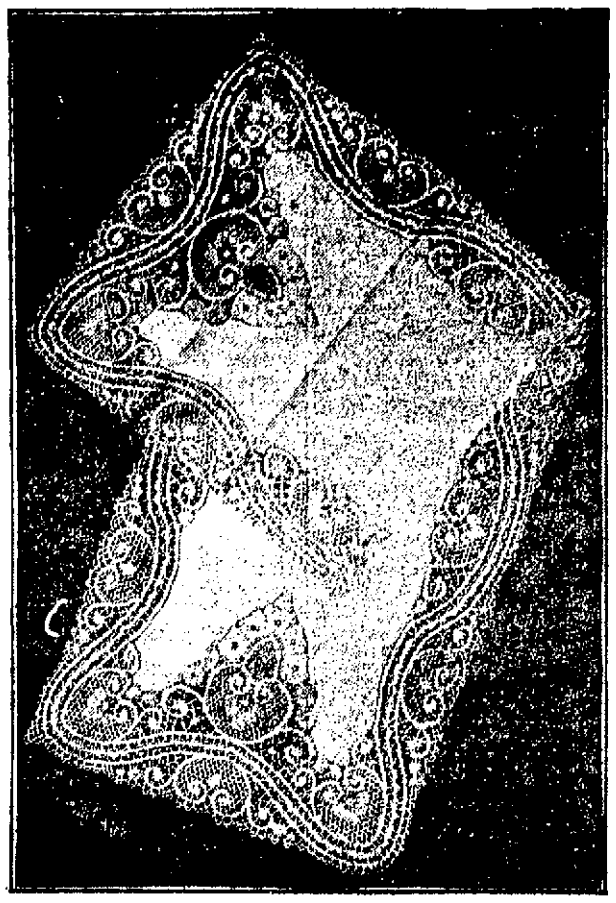
"Well, you can see for yourself that she isn't here," remarks coolly one of her long suffering victims. And in the silence that follows there is nothing for Miss Jealous to do but depart, which she does, much crestfallen.

Appearance Counts For Much.

And still another thing which many girls do not realize, and that is the necessity of keeping up one's appearance. If you are stupid or poor or unlucky don't let people know it. If you have good clothes, for mercy's sake wear them and don't let them hang in the closet until they are out of style. Don't wear one suit all the time because it is comfortable. Live in as good a house as you can afford, even if you have to practice hidden economies. Above all, keep a smiling countenance no matter what happens. This habit involves little effort after you become accustomed to it, and it will certainly bring you many friends and good times.

Kate Clyde

New York.



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WOMEN WALKERS.

In Berlin a number of young women employed in millinery establishments recently got up a contest to see who among them could walk the greatest distance in twenty-four hours. Unfortunately the novelty of the match excited so much public attention that the police interfered after the first five and twenty miles had been covered on the ground that it was impeding the traffic. It is said that both the emperor and empress were among the spectators witnessing the start.

A pedestrian match that succeeded in Berlin, however, took the equally novel form of twelve ladies under twenty years of age competing with twelve ladies of forty years of age in walking fifty times round one of the principal squares. The contest was decided at night, and, contrary to the general expectation, resulted in an easy win for the more mature competitors.

Among English women the palm for exploits of this nature should undoubtedly go to a certain Mrs. Sharp of Bradford. The performance by which she is best remembered among pedestrians was the truly remarkable one of walking a thousand miles in a thousand hours. So far as mere speed is concerned this is perhaps nothing out of the common. The noteworthy point about it, however, consists in the extraordinary endurance that was required to carry it out without breaking down.

GOOD FOR THE FEET.

If there is anything that spoils one's winter season it is the unwelcome presence of chilblains. Here is a remedy for these destroyers of our comfort: First make a wash by dissolving alum in warm water, then apply it with a warm cloth night and morning. The relief is almost instantaneous. Do not use very much alum in making the wash and don't soak the feet in alum water. Alum is useful in so many ways that you should always have a box of it on your toilet table.

Girls often suffer from excessive perspiration of the feet. A very good cure for this annoying complaint is a lotion made by infusions of sage or rosemary. After applying the liquid and allowing the feet to dry they should be powdered with starch. It is advisable to change the stockings as often as possible. A good method of treating your feet when they are very tired is to bathe them in salt water. The care of the feet is a most important factor in retaining your health, and it is a thing which girls are apt to neglect. Many colds are taken through the ankles; therefore keep them warm and well protected.

SHE WANTS TO KNOW.

A witty club woman asks: "Why is it that nothing that could be uttered by a spinster on the management of husbands, no matter how wise or how learned the spinster might be, would ever command serious attention, while the dictates of a confirmed bachelor (Paul) who lived nearly 2,000 years ago in a civilization differing in nearly every particular from our own is still made the standard of excellence for wives?"

COLLECTING MIRRORS.

Within the past few years a decided fad for the collecting of antique mirrors has developed, and many a looking glass of ancient days, treasured more for association's sake than for its intrinsic value, has assumed considerable importance commercially. Colonial mirrors are having a decided vogue at the present time, more particularly those decorated with a pastel across the top.

NAGGING MOTHERS.

She was not a cross looking mother by any means. She was nicely dressed and ladylike in her appearance as she entered the public dining room and was seated, together with her little child, at the same table with me.

Her order was given, the food brought, and then began low toned but continual commands to the child.

"Eat your dinner now; eat it up." Silence for a moment. "Don't gaze around the room. Eat your dinner." Silence. "Eat your dinner, now." Every time the poor child dared hesitate over a single mouthful the command was shot at her to "eat" until, my own pleasure in the meal being spoiled, I left.

Children are often worried because their mothers are too attentive and continually reprove the small ones without reason.

A child should be left alone and be allowed to play or amuse itself in its own way without the constant direction of a nervous mother.

A boy, for example, enjoys more a few simple toys and something which his own ingenuity has worked out than the most elaborate plaything which has been bought.

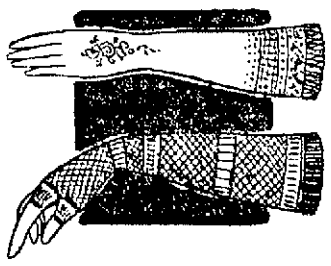
In the same way the little girl will lavish her affections on a misshapen doll, probably made at home, while the most artistic production of the toyshop will lie in state, to be taken up on rare occasions.

Keep children well, clothe them sensibly, let them understand they are to amuse themselves and don't annoy them.

If your selfish love has hitherto kept your children dependent upon you it is your duty lovingly to teach them self reliance. A wholesome letting alone and as much personal freedom as may be compatible with its moral development brings the highest good and the truest pleasure to a child.

LACE MITTS FOR EVENING.

All smart girls will be glad to avail themselves of the new lace mitts. With evening dress they are much used. They are easily made at home, and there are certain advantages of the homemade article. You can choose a thinner lace and a pattern quite unique. For instance, there is a beautiful homemade pair of mitts made with lace of a butterfly pattern and so cut that the embroidered butterfly rests on the back of the hand, while the remainder of the mitt is of plain spotted net. The advantage of showing pretty rings and well kept finger nails instead of incasing them in gloves is apparent.



LACE GLOVE AND MITT CONTRASTED.

PAPER STOCKINGS.

Paper gloves and stockings are now being manufactured in Europe. As to the manner in which the former are made little is known, but the stockings have been carefully examined by experts, and they are loud in their praise of them. Let no one assume, they say, that these stockings because they are made of paper will only last a few days, for they will last almost as long as ordinary stockings. The reason, they point out, is because the paper of which they are made was during the process of manufacture rendered into a substance closely resembling wool and was then woven and otherwise treated as ordinary wool.

LINEN TAFFETA CURTAINS.

Draperies of linen taffeta in white with flecks of satin through the material have the most tasteful borders. One pair has a moss green ribbon design around them holding bunches of violets. The pattern is four or five inches from the edge of the curtains and they are finished with a green cording.

Mrs. Russell Sage And Her Opinions

WE were listening to a lecture on the upbuilding of the body and the whole environment and circumstances of our lives through ever thinking thoughts of health, beauty, goodness and comfortable financial circumstances. In time new brain cells would be built, and body and outward circumstance would outpicture the longed for conditions. The lecturer herself was a noble specimen of physical beauty, artistically and æsthetically gowned in gray that looked like a mist of the morning. She seemed a woman of the coming race, large, queenly and radiant faced.

At the close of her lecture she was enthusiastically applauded by fair, white gloved hands. As the applause ceased a slender, wiry little lady the exact antithesis of the superb lecturer arose and made some announcement in a voice that had a ring of steel in it, as if its undervibrations were saying, "That's the truth, and if you don't agree with me you are dead wrong, and that settles it." The lady was dressed all in black and wore a little black toque bravely tied under her chin three years after even old women in Paris and America had ceased to wear bonnet strings.

Mrs. Russell Sage.

The little lady in black looked as if she might be seventy years old and did not care who knew it. Her features were strong, though symmetrical, and her mouth shut like a steel trap. Her face was shrewd and kindly as well as intellectual, yet had a merry twinkle in its gray eye withal.

Her personality was so marked and so markedly in contrast to that of the preacher of the beauty gospel who had preceded her that I asked a handsomely gowned woman near me who the lady was with white hair and bonnet strings tied under her chin.

"That? Oh, that's Mrs. Russell Sage."

Instantly I said to myself, "And if any woman on this planet can manage 'Uncle Russ' this one can."

It is really true that Mrs. Russell Sage exercises a more humanizing influence on the great financier than anybody else ever did. Maybe it is because she was a schoolmistress in her youth and learned to manage not only school children, but grown ups. She is president of the Emma Willard association, a director of the Woman's hospital in New York and a member of various patriotic societies among women. It is on record that once she attended the annual dinner eaten to the memory of the pilgrim mothers. It was a dinner given by women, but men were permitted to be present and do honor to the occasion. Mrs. Sage—maiden name Margaret Olivia Slocum—is a direct descendant in the seventh generation from Miles Standish, and she looks and acts the part.

At the close of that pilgrim mothers' dinner the men present began to smoke. Mrs. Sage left the banquet hall sickened with tobacco fumes and disheartened over women who met in honor of the pilgrim mothers and went home with hair and clothing steeped in stale tobacco smoke. She declared she could not endure tobacco smoke and would never attend such another unholy exploitation of the pilgrim mothers' memory.

The smoker inebriate is Mrs. Sage's especial aversion. She has said: "I believe that smoking is the main cause of the inefficiency of many men. Smoking has a soporific effect, and the men sit and dream and are lulled into forgetfulness of what should most interest them."

The little lady with the decided mouth clinched her opinions with an illustration most forceful. There was among the governors of the Woman's hospital at one time the now exploded superstition that a man superintendent was necessary in order that his authority should be respected; that a woman would not be obeyed by the employees. Accordingly, the flag of the superintendent masculine waved over the Woman's hospital. There began to be serious complaint. The gentleman superintendent did not get his breakfast until half past 8, a serious misdemeanor in the estimation of the early stirring Mrs. Sage, with her New England habits of activity. Then, after his luxurious 8:30 breakfast, the gentleman superintendent shut himself up in his rooms and "smoked for an indefinite time, during which nobody could get at him for anything."

Affairs began to go so badly that the man's resignation was at length accepted, and a woman was put in his place. After that, Mrs. Sage says, expenses were reduced one-third, everything was kept exquisitely neat, and the patients were supplied with dainties that mean so much to an invalid and that a woman's mind always suggests.

One more object lesson on the smoking habit Mrs. Sage gives. A relative of her own was seized with mortal illness at a hotel, and two men nurses were hired. They kept the room of that dying man foul and saturated with tobacco smoke. If a visitor opened the door unexpectedly the man nurse was usually found lying upon a couch with a cigar and newspaper, reposing and smoking till perhaps a groan from the patient recalled him to a sense of what he was there for. Mrs. Sage's words are clean cut and to the point, and she does not use too many. She would have made a jolly good newspaper woman if she could have repressed somewhat that sharply critical spirit of hers. She concludes the account of the men nurses with this moral:

"Had those nurses been women they would have attended to things conscientiously. The room would have been kept neat, quiet and untainted with cigar smoke. They would scarcely have left the bedside a moment. Their sympathy would have been enlisted for the sufferer, and they would have striven to afford him comfort in his last illness."

Usually the more ignorant an individual is the more opinions that person expresses on things he does not know about. Mrs. Sage is an exception. She has more opinions to the square inch of her brain pan than almost any other intelligent lady of her time, and she speaks them straight out regardless. She is a bonanza for the newspaper interviewer, and she always has something racy and interesting to say. Whatever does not square itself with her Puritan conscience she does not hesitate to oppose forcibly. Of Sunday observance she says, "In our old home up state at 6 o'clock on Saturday night all work was laid aside and not resumed till Monday morning at 6 o'clock." The strict ideas and usages of the "old home up state" are just about right to Mrs. Russell Sage still. She mentions with hearty approval the plan of a young lady who lets her six men friends come to her house Sunday afternoon, but when they are there the young lady reads the Bible to them, and then they all discuss the chapter.

Yet, conservative as she is, Mrs. Sage is an upholder, noble, strong and outspoken, of all that fosters higher education, industrial opportunity and the gaining of legal and civil rights for her own sex. She believes women, married or single, should be pecuniarily independent. She and Miss Helen Gould, her most intimate friend, though so much younger, are both woman suffragists. There is a strange sort of eternal youthfulness about Mrs. Sage in spite of the black bonnet strings that draws around her young men and women in their twenties, and she is to them companionable and intensely interesting. They forget—so does she—the difference in years and meet on the plane of soul which knows no age.

Unknown to the world mostly, Mrs. Sage gives large sums in useful philanthropy, but she has little sympathy with beggarly charity. She says in her emphatic way:

"If people would only use their wits and do what they ought to do they would not need to ask for money."

LILLIAN GRAY.

THESE WOMEN CAN WORK.

Three Italian women applied recently for work on the Chicago street cleaning force. One of them had worked two years in Naples handling freight, had wheeled a wheelbarrow at the excavation of Pompeii and carried bricks in Naples. Another had worked in the vineyards near Milan, had tamped down stones in the streets and for a year had been harnessed with a dog to haul a milk wagon. The third had worked eight years in Italy cleaning streets and had worked in stone quarries two years. Mrs. Paul, the woman superintendent of a Chicago ward cleaning brigade, was in favor of employing the women, but Superintendent Solon thought they had better stick to housework.

KHEDIVE PEARS.

Take one pound of stewing pears, peel and core, making each hole large enough to contain a date. The dates must have first been well washed and drained. Put the pears into a jar and add a few extra dates; pour a wineglassful of cooking sherry over them, add a little sugar and let them stew in a slow oven for about eight hours. Pears cooked in this way and served with cream are delicious.

MUSEUM OF THE BALLET.

Paris has a museum of objects relating to the ballet. It includes everything from old ballet skirts to jewelry worn by famous dancers. There are also casts of the feet of these terpsichoreans, among them being one of Mme. Vestris' feet. It was made for Lord Fife at a cost of $5,000 and sold after his death for 50 cents.

"I presume you carry a memento of some sort in that locket of yours?" "Precisely. It is a lock of my husband's hair." "But your husband is still alive." "Yes; but his hair is all gone."

THE WAY OF THE MAN WHO IS MARRIED.

MR. GRAVABLE GRUMPUS is a respectable middle aged citizen. He has arrived at that time of life when he cares more for his little comforts, particularly his dinners, than for almost anything else. It is not convenient for him to stoop over or to move rapidly. Therefore Mr. Grumpus presents an appearance of dignity.

Mr. Grumpus goes downtown in the street car every morning to business and comes back in the afternoon about 5 o'clock. He usually occupies one of the choice seats, nearest the window, in a car. It is comfortable to be next the window.

Once not long ago when Mr. Grumpus returned home in the afternoon a lady was with him. She was a good looking woman, well dressed and, like himself, inclined to be stout. But Mr. Grumpus had not in this instance departed from his habit of securing creature comfort for himself. He occupied the inner seat next the window. The lady sat upon the outside, where broad bodied men shoved past her or leaned in a tumbledown way upon the back of her seat and knocked her hat out of plumb.

The lady in spite of these little unpleasant matters was doing her best to entertain Mr. Grumpus. She was evidently pleased to be with him and made herself particularly animated. She gazed admiringly into his face, she told him the little incidents of the day, she laughed aloud, she scanned Mr. Grumpus' well fed, purple red countenance anxiously at each of her witty sallies, if perchance she might not waken even a faint smile upon that solemn countenance.

But not a glance of appreciation, not the ghost of a smile. Grumpus looked bored; nothing more. He yawned at her best joke. When she asked him a question outright he just uttered the masculine grunt contemptuous; that was all. Presently he opened a newspaper, spread it out in the lady's face, raised it as a shield between himself and her so she could no longer get at him, then turned toward the window and read all the rest of the way.

The lady looked discomfited and disappointed.

A second time Mr. Gravable Grumpus went home in company with a lady in the street car. She was no handsomer than the first one, not quite so tastefully dressed, nor did she seem strenuous in her attempts to entertain Grumpus. But Mr. Grumpus was making a strenuous effort to entertain her. He was all animation and gentlemanly courtesy. You would have thought he was a youth of twenty going somewhere with his best girl. He insisted that the lady sit next the window, he closed the window lest the draft chill her. He encountered the bumps and the sprawling over of heavy men upon him in the outside seat with equanimity, not to say alacrity.

He told the lady amusing incidents he had witnessed downtown that day. He explained to her the wonders of a new electrical invention that was to revolutionize heating and lighting in people's homes.

His memory wandered back to the days when he was a boy, and he told her of the changes that had occurred in the sphere of woman since then. He was glad that women now were having better treatment industrially than they had got thirty years ago, and he added gallantly that so far at least as his breast was concerned—slapping his chest—the old time chivalry of man toward the weaker sex had not died out. Mr. Grumpus made merry jokes, he propounded new conundrums, he called up the resources of a mind enriched by fifty years of experience and observation and brought them to bear on the entertainment of the lady during the journey of three-quarters of an hour. As they stepped from the car a flower vender stood near. Mr. Grumpus purchased a bunch of fragrant purple violets and presented them to the lady with a bow that would have done credit to Sir Walter Raleigh. The lady said to herself:

"Mr. Gravable Grumpus is one of the most delightful men I ever met."

The first lady was Mr. Grumpus' wife, the second was an acquaintance, one of Mr. Grumpus' wife's friends.

TABITHA SOURGRAPES.

QUAINT FUR TURBAN WITH WHITE OSTRICH PLUME.

WHITE ARMS.

To whiten the arms, wash them every night in water as hot as can be borne, with soap, and rub them vigorously with a bath brush. Dry on a rough towel and rub in any preparation of glycerin, with rosewater or cucumber juice, until it is absorbed. In a month the arms will be smooth and white.

LIVED IN LOWELL

Murderer of President Sakooni Bought a Hat Here

A Boston or a Lowell man, or at least a some time patron of a Boston and Lowell clothing concern, is probably the assassin of Saghatel Sakooni, president of the Armenian revolutionary society in London, who was murdered in Nunhead, near London, late Monday evening.

Sakooni, who returned to London Monday, after settling up the affairs of an associate in Switzerland, who was recently assassinated by stabbing, was entering his residence when a man rushed across the road and fired four shots at Sakooni in quick succession, the last bullet entering the region of the heart.

The murderer, who appeared to be a foreigner, fled. The only clews to the man in possession of the authorities are a hat and a silver-plated revolver, which he dropped in his flight.

"The hat," according to a London dispatch, "is a black derby with the name of the vender stamped inside, showing it to have been sold by The Bell Clothing Co., 132 Columbus avenue, and 31 to 38 Terrynack street." The name of the town is partly erased. Its first two letters are 'M. O.' and the last two are 'I. L.'"

The murderer's pistol is an automatic, magazine 10-shot weapon.

There is 1132 Columbus avenue, Boston, and at 31 to 37 Merrimack street, Lowell, a concern known as The Bell Clothing company. Wet and moisture have probably obliterated the stamped lettering in the hat to an extent that an "M" might be mistaken for a "T," making the name "Merrimack" instead of "Terrynack." The same causes probably make "L. O." and "E. L." appear as "M. O." and "I. L." the completed word, in all likelihood, being "LOWELL."

The managers of the Bell Clothing company in Lowell stated last evening that it is very likely that they may have sold to an Armenian a derby hat like the one found as a clew in the London assassination. The company has practically no Armenian trade in Boston. In Lowell, however, the concern has many Armenian customers among the mill operatives and other foreign residents.

On the meagre clew furnished by the impression in the inside of the hat the proprietors could say nothing more positive than that the hat might have been sold by them. They say that it must have been purchased some time ago, probably two years, if the inscription is as defaced as described.

It is expected by the London authorities that Sakooni's death is only the prelude to other chapters in the story of a bitter blood feud. The London police state two men were with the assassin at the time of the shooting, and that they appeared almost to force the latter to fire. Other persons connected with the Armenian society have requested police protection.

The murdered man, who was a mining engineer, became wealthy in the Caucasus and devoted his money to the Armenian cause. His society was entirely passive and opposed to violence, and it is thought this attitude inspired the advanced section of the Armenians with the desire for vengeance, the latter claiming that Sakooni's society devoted funds to charity which would have been better applied to violent remedies for the Armenian grievances.

Sakooni is said to have moved to England from America early in 1902.

It is stated that his life had been threatened on account of his participation in the exposure by the editor of a Boston newspaper, Young Armenia, of the misappropriation of funds by a faction of the Armenian revolutionists.

These men are alleged to have collected $20,000 in America in 1902 and to have put the money in their own pockets, instead of pushing the propaganda for the emancipation of the Armenians, for which the money was subscribed.

VERY GOOD THING

Clerks of A. G. Pollard & Co., Form Society

A benefit society has been formed by the clerks of A. G. Pollard & Co. They met last night in the Institute building in Middle street. The organization will be known as The A. G. Pollard & Co. Relief association. The object of the society is to promote the good interests of all concerned by closer contact in leisure hours. A sick benefit will also be provided. Mr. Pollard has given the association the use of the hall free for permanent quarters. He was present at the meeting last night and warmly approved of it, promising the hearty co-operation of the firm. Officers will be elected at the next meeting.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY.

The annual banquet of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society was held at the First Baptist church last evening.

This was the first banquet held since the resignation of Mrs. H. C. Fuller, who for six years previous had been its superintendent. Mrs. Fuller was the recipient of a large picture, Secretary Harry L. Woodman making the presentation in behalf of the society.

Miss Emily Simpson has taken Mrs. Fuller's place as the new superintendent. Pastor Smith T. Ford spoke on "What the Junior Society Has Done," and was followed by the Sunday school superintendent, H. L. Tibbetts, who made a few remarks suitable to the occasion.

There was a piano solo by Master Forest Wiggin, a violin solo by Miss Lillian Gifford, a song by Hattie Smithhurst, accompanied by her sister, Jennie, and readings by Miss Ella Smith.

There were 150 present at the banquet and Harry Woodman acted as toastmaster.

COFFEE PARALYSIS

A Well Defined Case.

Coffee paralysis is not common but there are more cases than folks imagine and there are cases where the nervous victim keeps on with the coffee until the trouble is chronic and incurable.

On the other hand there are many cases where leaving off the coffee and drinking Postum Food Coffee in its place has resulted in complete and speedy cures as in the following:

"For several years I was in an alarming condition and had consulted every physician in our town besides three visiting specialists. My trouble baffled them all, but their different verdicts frightened me and the treatment proposed was long, tedious and very expensive. My husband had already spent a small fortune trying to help me and the last effort was a $20 experiment which did no good.

"My trouble was a numbness or half paralyzed sensation that would creep over me especially bad at night, commencing in my arms, shoulders and down to my left side and was followed by terrible pains and a prickly sensation that is beyond description. My hands would puff up and feel like great lumps, so thick and heavy and unnatural. I could do absolutely no work of any kind.

"It was then that my mother persuaded me that my condition was largely due to the use of coffee, of which I was a great lover. She knew what leaving off coffee and using Postum had done in her own case and she finally persuaded me to make the same shift, which I did without much faith. To my everlasting surprise the change was wonderful for all my old complaints soon lessened and are now completely gone. The terrible feelings and sensations that I cannot describe have stopped completely and I feel as if new rich, red blood was flowing through my veins bringing me health and happiness.

"All of this I know is due to my having stopped coffee and used Postum. My husband and three sons all use Postum now and enjoy it greatly."

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to cure even the worst and most deep-seated cases where doctors, patent medicines and hot springs fail. Heals all sores, stops all aches and pains, reduces all swellings, makes blood pure and rich, completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition. B. B. B. has cured to stay cured thousands of cases of Blood Poison even after reaching the last stages.

Old Rheumatism, Catarrh, Eczema

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Sold in Lowell, Mass., by Ellingwood & Co., corner Merrimack and Central Sts...Call or write...Blood Balm sent by express.

FIRED AT DIAZ

PRESIDENT DIAZ.

Attempt to Kill President of Mexico

By Associated Press to The Sun

GUANAJUATO, Mexico, Oct. 28.—Great excitement was caused yesterday by an attempt on the life of President Diaz who was a guest of the state government during the festivities here. The president, his staff and guests were passing by the Cantagor garden in a street car when a man of the lower class named Ellis Toscano, approached the car shouting and fired five shots from a revolver at the car. None of the shots took effect.

Packlo Escandon, of the president's staff rushed out of the car and caught the man, wrenching the revolver from him. The police took Toscano to prison. He is a man with a bad criminal record and was but recently released from prison at Grenaditas where he had served a term for homicide. The matter will be investigated. The president remained perfectly cool and was acclaimed by the crowd of citizens who showed their joy at his escape.

Toscano's evil record renders the theory of a deliberate attempt at assassination probable.

The president received the congratulations of the citizens and diplomatic corps.

DAN PATCH'S TURN

He Smashed Two More World's Records

By Associated Press to The Sun

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 28—Speed lingers in the air these closing days of the greatest season the harness horse has ever known, and yesterday afternoon three world's records were changed.

Dan Patch, the fastest of his kind, paced a half-mile in 56 seconds, a cut of one and one-half seconds in the previous record for the distance made last Saturday by Prince Alert.

A little later he was brought on the track hooked to a wagon, and paced a mile in 1.57¼. In his half-mile dash he stepped the second quarter in .27½, a 1.50 gait.

Major Delmar lowered his record to 1.59¾, making the third trotter to beat two minutes.

There was a fairly fresh breeze blowing, otherwise the conditions were perfect for fast time. The speed shown by Dan Patch shows that when he is good and fit the son of Joe Patchen is in a class by himself. The rating in both Dan Patch's and Major Delmar's miles was of the best. The champion gelding's quarters were trotted in 30, 30, 29¾, 30 seconds, and the pacing king's in 29½, 29, 29½, 29¼.

This splendid rating, made possible by having the pacemaker in front, has played a much more important part in the record-breaking miles which have been so frequent this year than the much-talked about wind shield.

Half miles better than a minute are getting quite common, and yesterday afternoon John M. paced one mile in 59½ seconds and Star Hal one in 59¾. Both these performances were in races.

The free-for-all pace was a hard one for the talent, as neither Dariel nor Harold H., the rattle-brain Hoosier, was on a pace and tramped on his field after Dariel and won the first heat.

The third renewal of the famous Transylvania brought forth a small field, only 15 mules taking the word. Geers' entry, Bardal, was not headed, and the silent man now has two bronze trophies for winning this event. A lot of money was bet on the race, with Geers carrying the bulk of it. The time for the mile was hung out as 1.51½, but as the timers were fresh from Witchita, where Cresceus trotted in 1.59¾, over a track where grass is growing, the record is doubted. Over in Kansas these timers are said to have made a mistake of three seconds, yesterday it was three minutes.

ITS ANNIVERSARY

THE MATHEWS WILL CELEBRATE ON JANUARY 1, 1904.

The Mathews held their regular weekly meeting last evening and considered a large amount of business. Pres. H. F. Sullivan was in the chair and five propositions for membership were read and four new members admitted.

Mr. Denis J. Sullivan, chairman of the committee of five, chosen at the last meeting to consider the advisability of observing the anniversary of the institute, recommended on behalf of the committee that the anniversary be observed. The date of the event is Jan. 1, 1904. A committee of twenty-five members will arrange for the event, but what nature the affair will assume is not determined on as yet and that matter is to be decided by the committee of twenty-five.

The committee in charge of the membership team contest reported that the committee was meeting with great success and expects to have the contest well under way in a few weeks.

MRS. LAMAR DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MACON, Ga., Oct. 28—Mrs. L. Q. C. Lamar, wife of the former justice of the United States Supreme court, died last night at her residence in this city.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB MET.

There was a large attendance at the Educational club yesterday afternoon. The program consisted of selections from Beethoven, Greig and Chopin, by Miss Ethel Livingston, which were highly pleasing.

Mrs. McBride sang "Oh, Promise delightfully. The little daughter of Dr. delightfully. The little daughter of Dr. Varney of North Chelmsford sang "Rock-a-Bye Baby," to the enjoyment of all.

After the meeting tea and light refreshments were served.

At the next meeting the subject for discussion will be "California."

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PRESIDENT INTERESTED

IN MOVEMENT TO LEVEE BANKS OF MISSISSIPPI.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28.—Resolved to appeal to the Federal government for adequate aid to levee both banks of the Mississippi river and to maintain such levee at maximum grade, thereby making possible the reclamation and protection of the Aluvial lands and improving navigation, the largest and most influential levee convention yet held in the valley convened here yesterday.

A letter from President Roosevelt to Mr. Parker, chairman of the committee on arrangements aroused much enthusiasm. The president wrote:

"My dear Mr. Parker: Permit me through you to express my very great interest in the work of the inter-state levee convention. Exactly as I have taken a keen interest in irrigation in the arid regions, so I feel that the movement for thoroughly protecting the Mississippi lowlands by levees is one of importance to the whole country no less than to the people immediately adjoining the great river. I wish all success to your convention and shall follow its proceedings with close attention.

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

A resolution was adopted thanking the president for his manly and patriotic letter endorsing the purpose for which this convention was called.

MONTHLY MEETING

OF WOMEN'S RELIANCE OF FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Reliance of the First Unitarian church was held yesterday afternoon in the church parlor.

After the reading of the reports the meeting was addressed by Rev. Charles T. Billings, pastor, who talked upon the Prophet Adams. There was an unusually large attendance and after the meeting tea was served by Mrs. E. H. Scribner and Mrs. George Bowers.

CANADA'S FUTURE

GRANT'S GRANDSON MAKES A PREDICTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—"I believe, and have always been taught, that Canada is by right a part of the United States and will be some day, by force or favor."

These words, published yesterday in a Toronto newspaper over the signature of "Algernon Sartoris, grandson of Gen. U. S. Grant," have provoked harsh words, and Mr. Sartoris is promised rough handling if he comes to this city from his summer residence at Coburg, just east of here.

Interviewed yesterday, he said:

"Yes, I did say it was merely the favor of the United States that gave Canada its present lease of life as a nation.

"What does England care for her colony here? She has just shown that feeling, and Canadians admit it. The United States must have the dominion some day, and it might as well take it now.

"Could they take it? Well, now, what are you laughing about? Of course they could. I have heard the question discussed ardently among army officers of the republic.

"Of course they know the Canadians will fight, but the Americans think they would be convinced of the advantage they were to derive from being made a free people—part of the greatest republic in the world."

Mr. Sartoris leaves Coburg for Cincinnati Saturday, and thence goes to St. Louis to spend the rest of the winter.

CO-OPERATIVE BANK PROSPEROUS.

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Lowell Co-Operative bank, held last evening, some four thousand dollars was loaned on real estate at 5 and 5 1-4 per cent., and a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum for the last six months was declared. The new series of shares is now for sale, 100 having been already taken. Eighty-three shares in series 14 have just matured, the value of each share being $203.59; $144 having been paid in per share during the last 12 years at $1 per month, $59.59 being the earnings.

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SENTENCE CONFIRMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 28—The court of appeals yesterday confirmed the conviction and sentence of death upon Thomas Tobin for the murder of Captain Craft in a tenderloin resort in New York city last fall. Thomas Tobin was manager of "The Empire," a drinking resort on West 29th street. Craft went into the place late at night and displayed a roll of money. He was induced to take a room for the night and after the drinking place was closed he was killed for his money and his body chopped up and put in the furnace to burn. Craft's life was taken for a sum of less than $50.

The court of appeals also confirmed the conviction and sentence of death upon William B. Ennis of Brooklyn. Ennis shot and killed his wife, Mary Ennis, in Brooklyn in January, 1902. His defense was insanity.

EX-AUDITOR LADD DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 28—Charles Renszaler Ladd, ex-state auditor of Massachusetts, died here yesterday of palsy after five months treatment at St. Luke's hospital. Mr. Ladd lived in Springfield, Mass. He leaves a widow and daughter.

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Eight different numbers, handsome patterns, light and dark colorings, fancy stitched, 72x78, covered with silkolene, print and percale, better values than ever.

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Twilled print, silkolene, sateen and batiste, some lined with plain, others both sides alike, fancy and scroll stitched, plain and corded edge, fluffy and light.

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Fancy twill, fine sateen, and fine percaline, beautiful patterns, corded edge, filled with clean carded cotton, scroll stitched, size 72x78, and really worth $2.50.

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A special lot, home made to our order, with mercerized, figured taffetaline, handsome patterns, extra large, size 80x90, and tufted with all wool yarn, would be worth $3.50 from any manufacturer.

At $1.65, $1.75 and $1.85 each

Extra size, 80x90, fancy stitched, fine silkolene, sateen and percale, filled with clean cotton, corded edge, scroll stitched and diamond stitched, large enough to suit anybody, heavy and warm.

At $1.75 each—For Single Beds

A line made specially for single and ¾ beds, well made, good style, as long as any but not so wide.

Be sure to visit our Comforter Department, with four large square counters to show them, and a very large assortment right there to select from.

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SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.48	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.50	7.26
a6.38	7.30	7.55	8.55
a6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.01	e9.00	9.37
ea7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.50	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.35	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
ea11.43	12.25	e3.00	3.37
a12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
ea1.56	2.38	e5.00	5.37
a3.03	4.20	5.35	6.25
ea3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.34
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
ea5.22	6.15	e7.30	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.08
ea6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
ea7.29	8.10	11.20	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
a6.39	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.59
a9.20	10.15	e7.30	8.08
a4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
a6.58	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.56	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.59	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
3.55	5.04	6.56	7.48
5.06	6.43	8.59	10.40
6.15	7.15	B11.15	12.15
7.00	8.06		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.37
5.30	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

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A complimentary dance to members of Prosperity Circle, C. of F., and friends, will be held in Foresters' hall, Palmer street, this evening.

COWS.

C. H. Hanson & Co. will have arrive Friday a carload of choice new milch and springer cows.

BULBS.

Now is the time to take care of bulbs. McManmon, the florist, has the largest and best assortment of bulbs to be found in Lowell. He is the only importer of these goods direct from the growers from France and Japan. He handles the kind that grow easily in any house and will cheerfully instruct you how to handle them.

The assortment consists of the leading varieties of tulips, hyacinths and daffodils in all colors, just the right kind for pretty flower beds that bloom in the spring. Call and see them at McManmon's, the Prescott street florist.

AT THE ARMORY.

Company G has made arrangements for a dance to be held on November 6th.

The bowling alleys at the armory are being put in shape and a tournament will be opened very soon.

One of the attractions at the armory this winter will be indoor base ball. The uniforms and different goods to be used have been ordered.

ANDOVER CONFERENCE

Met With Chelmsford Congregationalists Yesterday

The Andover conference was held yesterday in the Chelmsford Centre Congregatinal church and was largely attended.

The morning session was called to order by Moderator William Shaw of Ballardvale, Dr. A. W. Burnham of the Kirk Street church, Lowell, being the recording secretary.

Prayer was offered by Rev. G. E. Martin, D. D., of Lowell. In the absence of the pastor of the entertaining church, Rev. E. C. Bartlett, Rev. John M. Greene, D. D., of Lowell, gave the address of welcome, in the course of which he said that it was twenty-four years ago since the conference met at Chelmsford.

Moderator Shaw responded in brief remarks.

The records of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Dr. Burnham, and were approved and adopted. It was stated that the average attendance for 14 years had been 117. Delegates present last year had numbered 129, while this year just 100 presented credentials. The committee of arrangements reported through the program.

A business committee of three, to include the committee upon nominations, was appointed by the conference. They were Rev. Mr. Page of Lawrence, Rev. C. W. Huntington of Lowell, and Deacon Archibald of Methuen.

It was mentioned that since the last meeting of the conference death had removed Rev. Edwin Smith, pastor of the Ballardvale church, and a committee was appointed to express to the assembly and the family of the deceased the feeling of sorrow and great loss sustained in his decease.

Rev. G. E. Lovejoy, Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover, and Dr Greene of Lowell were appointed to attend to the framing of the resolutions

The first speaker of the day was Rev. C. W. Huntington, D.D., and his theme was: "The Union of Denominations."

Dr. Huntington said that last April a representative committee of the United Brethren, the Methodist Protestants, the Christians and the Congregationalists met at Pittsburg to consult as to the feasibility of the four denominations coming into closer relationship with each other. It was decided that the Christians were not ready to join in the movement, but the other three denominations were ready for such an affiliation, and they so reported to the full committee last July. The results of the conference were a series of proposals to be submitted to the churches at the triennial conference which meets three years from this month. It was thought practicable that efforts be made towards absolute union of the three denominations. Also that a general council according to membership be appointed, one representative for every 5000 members to perfect the union. This committee to have no legislative power, but simply advisory authority. The object of this unison will be to increase the educational and missionary labors of these three denominations; to unite several weak churches, and make one strong organization, particularly in rural districts. The proposition of the union is to be brought before the three denominations at their several conferences. "It is a woeful pity," said Dr. Huntington, "that the Christian body should be so divided. The Congregationalists number 650,000, the United Brethren 250,000, the Methodist Protestant 185,000."

It is thought by the union that religion may be made more effective, as differences in the denominations are not in creed, but are solely in the methods of church government.

"The reception of children to church membership" was the subject of a discourse by Rev. C. H. Oliphant of Melrose.

Discussions on the themes presented followed in which Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Lawrence and Rev. E. V. Bigelow of Lowell participated.

Rev. Ralph Gillam took the place of Rev. T. Clayton Welles, who was to have spoken on "Family Prayer."

Discussions followed, in which Rev. Sarah R. Dixon of Tyngsboro asked: "Should wives who have unconverted husbands have a family altar, and how is it possible to do so, when the father and some of the older children are called away to the mills and stores before the younger children are down stairs?" In answer, some thought it was not necessary to have family prayers in the early morning hours, as there was danger in the stereotyped method of reading from the Bible, prayer and singing. Variety was necessary in order to make the service attractive.

A prayer service of 15 minutes was conducted by Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Lawrence.

Brief remarks were made by Deacon Woodward of Chelmsford upon "What the conference can gather from the harvest fields of Chelmsford," the outcome of which was a bountiful collation, which was served in the vestry by the ladies of the church, covers being laid for 200.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the opening of afternoon session the business committee reported the name of W. H. Wright of High Street church, Lowell, for statistical secretary. William Shaw of Ballardvale was appointed a member of the committee of arrangements for five years.

The next meeting will be with the Lawrence Street church of Lawrence, with Rev. E. Victor Bigelow of Lowell moderator, Jacob Emerson of Methuen alternate. The fellowship committee recommended that services in churches in Andover conference be held in Lenton season, and that pastors exchange services during that season, as may be most helpful to each other. The recommendation was accepted by the conference. The committee on systematic beneficence reported through Rev. E. V. Bigelow that the churches be urged to contribute more to the six societies of the denomination, the American board of foreign missions, the home department, church building, educational department, the American missionary society and the Sunday school, supplemented by the ministerial aid. $1659 has been contributed from the 28 churches in the conference, which embraces Lowell, Lawrence, Andover, North Andover, Methuen, Tyngsboro, Chelmsford and Dracut, and $1670 expended in mission work in the churches of the Andover conference. The deficiency was made up by personal contributions.

Rev. George E. Lovejoy of Lawrence reported for the committee appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of Rev. Edwin Smith, pastor of Ballardvale.

The subject of the afternoon was "The teaching function of the church." Rev. H. G. Monk of Lawrence spoke upon "Why is it so difficult to get Bible teachers?"

"For what results should the teachers aim?" was answered by Rev. Sarah R. Dixon of Tyngsboro, in so eloquent a manner that she was given vigorous applause.

Rev. F. H. Kelly of Dracut had for his subject "What is the responsibility of parents for the Bible school?"

George E. Johnson, superintendent of public schools of the Tewksbury district, spoke from his personal experiences on "What can the Bible school learn from the public schools?"

Rev. H. H. French, pastor of the First Congregational church, Malden, gave the last address of the conference on "The preacher as a teacher," at the conclusion of which a discussion took place.

A vote of thanks was given Dr. French for his very able sermon and after the singing of a hymn the conference closed with the benediction by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow.

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Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, at 4 o'clock
FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, A 3½ STORY BUILDING AND ABOUT 5315 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 474, 476 AND 478 MERRIMACK STREET, CONTAINING TWO STORES AND STABLE ON GROUND FLOOR, AND ABOUT EIGHTEEN ROOMS.

Longing to rid myself of that care and responsibility which confronts one in handling property, and also being about to leave the city in January, I have pledged this property for absolute auction sale to whomsoever will bid the highest. It is a substantially well constructed building, of two stores, Nos. 474 and 478 Merrimack street, a stable in the rear, with concrete driveway to same, and eighteen very fine rooms which are at present rented to one person. The total rental received at the present time is about $1320 a year, but has rented for much more than this, and should do so today, with the proper attention.

It is seldom the opportunity is offered the investor, to purchase down town property at the public price, but here it is, on the business side of our main street, where thousands upon thousands pass daily, almost opposite the Memorial building, so situated as never to decrease in value, for the population in upper Merrimack street, has increased 20 per cent. in the last ten years, and is still growing. So, if you want to invest where you are sure not to fail, then this is your opportunity.

The lot contains about 5315 square feet of land with a frontage on Merrimack street of about 56 feet. There are passageways on both sides of the building, which gives you easy access to the rear.

TERMS: $1000 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of
ELIZABETH COSGROVE.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock
ABSOLUTE SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, THREE-STORY BLOCK OF TWO STORES AND FOUR TENEMENTS AT NOS. 218, 218½ AND 220 MIDDLESEX STREET.

Under no condition would I dispose of this parcel of real estate, for to me it is a fine paying property, but for reasons over which I have no control I must leave this part of the country for the west, so I am determined to sell, and feel that the best way to realize the most money is to put it up at public sale.

The property in question is a three-story building and about 2038 square feet of land situated on the southerly side of Middlesex street. There are two good stores and four tenements and pays at the present time about $972 a year, but with some slight alterations which I had under advisement this property should pay $1200 a year, for it is on one of the best business streets in our city, on a direct line to the railroad station, on the southerly side of the street where most of the travel is done, and is a property that is paying a fine percentage from the start on the price you will buy it for. The wise investor now-a-days centers his ideas on business property, for if any property shall increase in value it is that, so here we have it: well situated, good paying, in very fine repair, and sacrificed to you, who will get the full benefit of my unfortunate conditions, for I mean to make positive sale, if the purchaser complies with the terms.

TERMS: $600 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be read at sale.

GAGO K. ECHMALION.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 4 o'clock
TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 1050 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 30 AND 32 SOUTH STREET.

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